

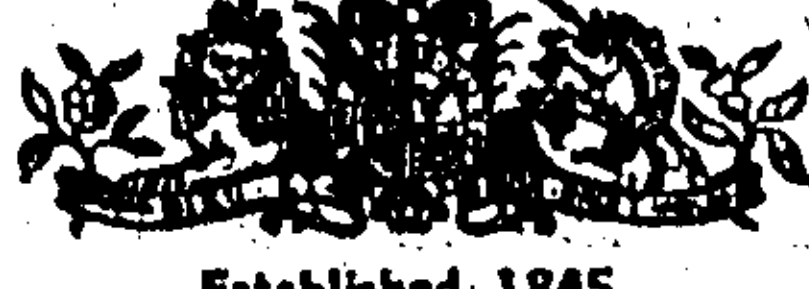
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IS PATIENCE
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THE patience of Hongkong people is something to marvel at. For on Sunday hundreds of motorists queued for periods of between an hour and two hours to cross the harbour in the vehicular ferry—and this is typical of the weekends. This fact alone will surprise no one. But what is surprising is that week after week this state of affairs continues with hardly a word of public protest.

Moreover the indications that these fantastic queues of frustrated cars will not only go on for at least another year but will probably also grow longer and longer in the mean time, seems to have been accepted with a resignation that is a little frightening.

Hongkong is known as a city of "don't quote me's". Public reaction is more often anonymous than not. But if there are examples of big decisions evoking hardly any response—and the Admiralty's outrageous bill of \$112 million for the dockyard lands was one—there are many others which suggest a welcome sign of sensitivity and an ability to yell "ouch" when stung hard enough. The outcry over various public utilities is a good case in point.

THE prospect of inadequate cross-harbour communications continuing is one that ought to interest Government no less than the motoring public. True another year is not too long to wait for a second vehicular pier at North Point but there are indications that by the time it has been built, the problem of getting from one side to another will be just as much a nightmare as it is today.

As it is there are cases of people—far removed from the taipan class—with business interests on both sides of the harbour, who now own two second-hand cars, one on either side, contributing of course both to parking difficulties and road congestion. No one suggests this particular fashion has reached alarming proportions but it is nevertheless an indication of the extremes that ferry delays are driving people to.

BEFORE the restoration of the vehicular ferry service after the war, motorists crossed the harbour in the Star Ferry and sent their cars over by tug-drawn barges. Couldn't we revert to this again as a supplementary service—at least until waiting at the ferry concourse is reduced to a tolerable 10 or 15 minutes at the busiest times? Another suggestion is to take a leaf from the Army and browbeat the Navy into giving us a couple of LSTs which the ferry company, or some other concern could operate to transport trucks from the Western reclamation to some convenient location on the Kowloon waterfront.

Meanwhile it is hard to know whether weekend motorists who wait in their hundreds for a place in the queue for a place in the queue to get on the ferry deserve medals for their job-like patience, or fool's caps for saying nothing. Because shuffling a couple of miles in a couple of hours in first gear in the heat of the day is bad enough, but with only beggars, chewing gum vendors and fed-up children to relieve the monotony, it is about the most unfunny way of passing time that this Colony has yet devised.

LIVE BOMB IN KOWLOON

Wartime Missile Found In Arcade

A 500-lb bomb with the fuse intact has been found in one of the busiest parts of Kowloon, the Police announced this morning.

The bomb was found during excavation work at the Chungking Arcade building site in Tsimshatsui yesterday evening.

It was believed to have been dropped by an American aircraft in 1944 or early 1945.

The danger area has been cordoned off by Police. This morning Police and Army bomb disposal experts inspected the bomb and made arrangements for its removal and dumping at sea.

The experts were Mr N. H. G. Hill the Police Ballistics Officer, and Major H.P. Qualtrough, R.E. The bomb is to be moved out of the area by the Army late tonight under Police escort and a landing craft of 79 Company RASC (Water Transport) will be used to take the bomb out to sea for disposal.

Up to this afternoon the bomb, although removed from the crater, was still at the excavation site. The bomb had been wrapped up in sackings soaked in water immediately after it was removed.

HK Man Accused Of Murder

Georgetown, Oct. 19. The Captain and the Chief Mate of the British ship Hindustan will arrive in Trinidad tomorrow by air from London to testify in the murder trial of a Hongkong seaman, Leung Li.

Leung is accused of using a pocket knife to stab Kam War, the ship's cabin boy, when the Hindustan was off the Azores last August.

Leung Li was taken off the ship at Curacao and was flown to Trinidad to stand trial.

The murdered cabin boy was buried in the Azores.—AFP.

Children Put In Deep Freeze

Merrick, N.Y., Oct. 19. A young mother put two of her children in a deep freeze unit, killing them, and then hanged herself from an attic ladder today.

The body of the woman, Mrs Joan Anton, 34, was found by her husband, Alfred, when he returned home from his job as a house-painter.

Police said it was reported that Mrs Anton had been depressed since the birth of their last child, Joan, and had been in hospital for a while.

The Anton's two other children are boys.—UPI.

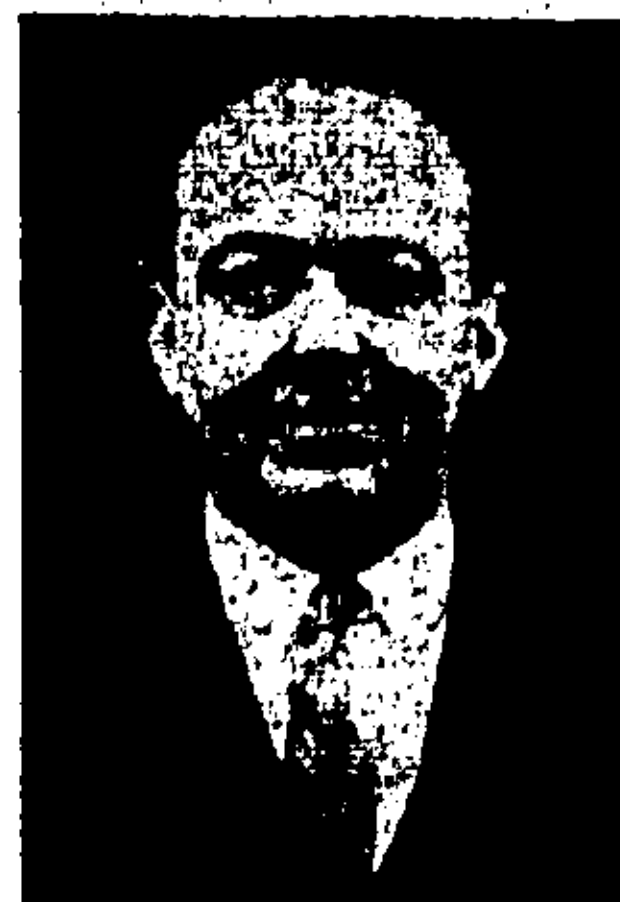
Jockey Improving

"Colossus" Chuang, who was thrown during the running of the Kwangtung Handicap on Saturday afternoon, was reported to be improving this morning.

Chuang was riding Maytime in the big sweepstake event when the horse stumbled after passing the post. He was operated on yesterday.

Chuang is in the Hongkong Sanatorium.

Thorneycroft In Hospital



London, Oct. 19. Mr Peter Thorneycroft, former Conservative Chancellor of the Exchequer, was admitted to hospital today for observation.

For several weeks he has been suffering from pneumonia, complicated by a kidney complaint.

Mr Thorneycroft, who resigned from Mr Macmillan's Cabinet in 1958 because he objected to the Prime Minister's budgetary plans, is 50 years old.—AFP.

MOTHER KILLS 5 CHILDREN

Allentown, Oct. 19. The widow of a Peruvian diplomat killed her five children by giving them 74 barbiturate pills almost a week ago and then tried to kill herself repeatedly until she was discovered, Police said today.

Police said the mother, Mrs Ruth L. Urdanivia, took 25 pills herself last Wednesday after giving the lethal doses to the children.

Head In Oven
She regained consciousness this afternoon—five days later—put her head in an oven and turned on the gas before she was found, police said.

"They are now with their father," she said of her children. "I'm sorry I didn't finish the job so I could be with them, too."

Mrs Urdanivia's husband, Jose Urdanivia, died of a heart attack in San Francisco, two years ago, en route to becoming Consul-General at Yokohama, Japan.—UPI.

Singapore "Aphrodite"

Won A
Trip
To Japan



JACQUELINE GODDARD

Miss Jacqueline Goddard (left) Singapore's 16-year-old "Aphrodite—Goddess of Love", arrived in the Dutch liner Tjiwangi this morning on a round trip to Japan.

It was the first prize offered in the Aphrodite contest. Fifty contestants took part. The competition, which was held last July, was sponsored jointly by the Shaw Organisation and a tourist and travel agency, Messrs G. C. Nanda and Sons, Singapore, in connection with the showing of the Italian film, "Goddess of Love".

Eldest Of Three

Jacqueline, who hails from Manchester, went to Singapore two years ago with her parents, when her father who is in the R.A.F. was posted there.

She is the eldest of three daughters.

This was the second beauty contest in which she has taken part. In the first one, entitled "Miss Flamingo", she came second.

Although a part-time model in Singapore, Miss Goddard said she hoped to make her career on television.

At the end of this year, she will appear on a documentary TV film on Singapore to be produced by the French Press. She will continue her trip in the Tjiwangi to Japan on Thursday.

4 Killed In Boeing Crash

Seattle, Oct. 19.

A Boeing 707-220 jetliner crashed and burned while attempting an emergency landing on a river sand-bar about 40 miles north of here today, and four of eight persons aboard were killed.

The survivors, reported to be in "satisfactory" condition at the Arlington, Washington hospital, were identified tentatively as William Huebner, William Allsopp, Fred Symack and Al Krause. Boeing officials said names of the dead would not be released until next of kin had been notified.

Arlington is approximately 14 miles from the crash scene. The giant jetliner, manufactured for Braniff Airlines, was on a test flight. Boeing Airline Company and Braniff personnel were aboard the plane.

Firefighters from the naval station moved into action immediately after the crash to control the fire burning in the wreckage.

The 707-220 has the same airframe and body as the standard 707 now in transcontinental service, but the 220 is equipped with more powerful engines.—UPI.

IRA GUNMEN ATTACK POLICE STATIONS

Belfast, Oct. 19.

Gunmen, believed to belong to the outlawed Irish Republican Army, attacked two police stations in Northern Ireland tonight with automatic weapons.

At Clogher, County Tyrone, gunmen opened fire on the station from a lorry.

They drove away into the dark after a few bursts from a machine gun.

Later at Roslea, County Fermanagh, near the border with the Irish Republic, raiders with automatic weapons attacked the police station from high ground.

One window was shattered but steel shutters kept the bullets out of the building.

FIRE RETURNED

The police returned a heavy fire and after a short time the gunmen broke off the fight and escaped across fields in the direction of the border.

Early reports said there were no casualties on either side in the two incidents.

Tonight's attacks were the first since the October 8 General Election in which 12 Sinn Fein candidates were heavily defeated when they stood for Northern Ireland seats in the House of Commons.

Sinn Fein, an extremist republican party, is the political wing of the I.R.A.—Reuter.

Knocked Down Children At 100 mph

Columbus, Oct. 19.

A young hoodlum fleeing in a stolen car at speeds up to 100 miles an hour careened through an intersection today and slammed into a crowd of 30 school children, killing three of them and critically injuring another.

Police captured the motorist, Paul D. Graham, 22, as he ran from the scene with an angry group of people after him. Officers said Graham was on probation for earlier charges of burglary, grand larceny and car theft.

The dead youngsters, waiting on a sidewalk for a bus to take them to school, were identified as Raymond Kline, 4, his brother, Randy, 7, and Jane Lee Bellah, 7. All were children whose fathers are stationed at Lockbourne Air Force Base here.—UPI.

Lennox-Boyd Sends Farewell Message To HK

A message to the people of Hongkong, wishing them continued happiness and prosperity has been received here from Mr Alan Lennox-Boyd, who has retired as Secretary of State for the Colonies.

In a telegram to the Office Administering the Government Mr Lennox-Boyd states:

"For the last five years I have been proud to be Secretary of State for the Colonies."

"On giving up this high office, I would like you to know how greatly I have valued the help which I have always had from you and all those taking part in the Government of your territory."

"I am very grateful to the members of the overseas service for their devoted work, and to the large numbers of men and women outside the service who are helping forward the progress and happiness of the Colonial peoples."

"The times that I have spent as Minister and then as Secretary of State for the Colonies have been the happiest and most interesting, and I hope, the most worthwhile periods of my life."

"I have been proud to play my part in the emergence of independent nations within the Commonwealth and elsewhere, to help forward sound constitutional advance."

Rejoiced

"I have rejoiced in the spectacular social development particularly in health and education and in the massive economic advance on which the progress of the future so much depends."

"I have greatly enjoyed my many visits to the territories, the insight that this has given me into the problems and the opportunity to make a multitude of friends of all nations, races and creeds."

"As I said, in my letter to the Prime Minister, this office is the one which I have always wanted to hold, and it is with deep regret that I now leave it."

"To all of you I send my warmest thanks and prayers for your continued happiness and prosperity."

Good Wishes

In his reply to the Colonial Office, the OAG said that Mr Lennox-Boyd's kind message "will be a source of encouragement to us all."

"I am sure that I speak for all sections of opinion in Hongkong when I say that his work as Secretary of State for the Colonies was greatly admired and that he leaves this high office with our warm good wishes and gratitude."

London, Oct. 19.

President Eisenhower may fly to Europe for talks with British, French and West German leaders before his summit meeting with Russia's Nikita Khrushchev, responsible western diplomatic sources said today.—UPI.

Ike Acts In Steel Strike

Washington, Oct. 19. President Eisenhower today asked for a court injunction ordering 500,000 steel strikers back to work.

It was seen as virtually a foregone conclusion that within a few days at most the nationwide steel strike which has paralysed nearly nine-tenths of the country's steel making capacity would be interrupted by a court order.

The President acted under the Taft-Hartley law under which he can seek a court order interrupting a strike for 90 days in case of national emergency.

'A SAD DAY'

He said in a statement: "It is a sad day for the nation."

Free collective bargaining had not worked in this dispute despite the efforts of federal officials and the three-man fact finding board which a few hours earlier today reported its failure to bring a settlement.

"It is essential to the national interest that production be resumed immediately in the steel industry," the President's statement said.

"In order to protect the interest of all of the American people, this leaves me with no alternative except to seek an injunction under the existing law."

The White House said the Government would be ready to appear in the Federal District Court in Pittsburgh tomorrow to present its case.

PETITION

Mr Eisenhower declared: "America's hopes for a voluntary, responsible settlement have not been fulfilled."

The President's action took the form of a letter to the Attorney General, Mr William Rogers, directing him to petition in the name of the United States to enjoin the continuance of such strike and for such other relief as may in your judgment be necessary or appropriate."

Mr David McDonald, President of the Steel Workers Union, has said that his Union would attempt by all legal means to block the issuance of an injunction if it were requested by the President.—Reuter.

Quiet Burial For Errol Flynn

Hollywood, Oct. 19. Errol Flynn was buried here today in a ceremony whose quiet restraint contrasted vividly with the Hollywood star's romantic and boisterous life.

Only about 300 people—a small crowd for the standards of a Hollywood funeral—attended the last rites at the Church of the Resurrection, and the burial in spacious Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

Large squads of police were sent to the cemetery in anticipation that the scenes of such hysteria which accompanied the burial of such stars as Rudolph Valentino and Tyrone Power, might be repeated. But they were not.

About 150 of Flynn's friends and associates from his early

20 years of film-making were in the church for the ceremony.

But of the women in his life, only one, his last and estranged wife, Patricia Wynne, was there. Miss Wynne attended with three of Flynn's children by former marriages—Sean, 17, son of Marjorie and Lili Damita and Dierdra, 14, and Rory, 12, by his second wife, Nora Eddington.

Miss Damita and Miss Eddington were not represented. Neither was 17-year-old Beverly Aadland, the 50-year-old actor's protégée and occasional companion during the last two years of his life.

Jack Warner, head of the Warner Brothers studio, and Flynn's employer during the

years when he soared to stardom as a swashbuckling hero, spoke the eulogy in the quiet church.

Flynn, he said, was "an electric personality who bore a certain stamp of distinction that was a combination of charm and great vitality. He was the personification of gallantry, the essence of bravery, the great adventurer."

Mr Warner added: "And it was not all acting, though he was a very fine actor. Errol loved the kind of life he brought to the screen."

Actor and singer Donald Douglas, making a request in his eulogy, smiling with Robert Lewis Stevenson's words: "Home is the sailor, home from sea, and the hunter home from the hill."

After the short service, a line of stars, including Mickey Rooney, Alexis Smith, Ida Lupino, Johnny Weismuller, Jack Oakie and Howard Duff, passed by the coffin.

Beverly Aadland, who had tried to have the actor buried in Jamaica, as she said he would have wished, was in San Francisco as the funeral took place, consulting her lawyer.

She told reporters: "He did not want to go to the funeral because it was 'too big.' She added: 'Errol would have hated it.'"

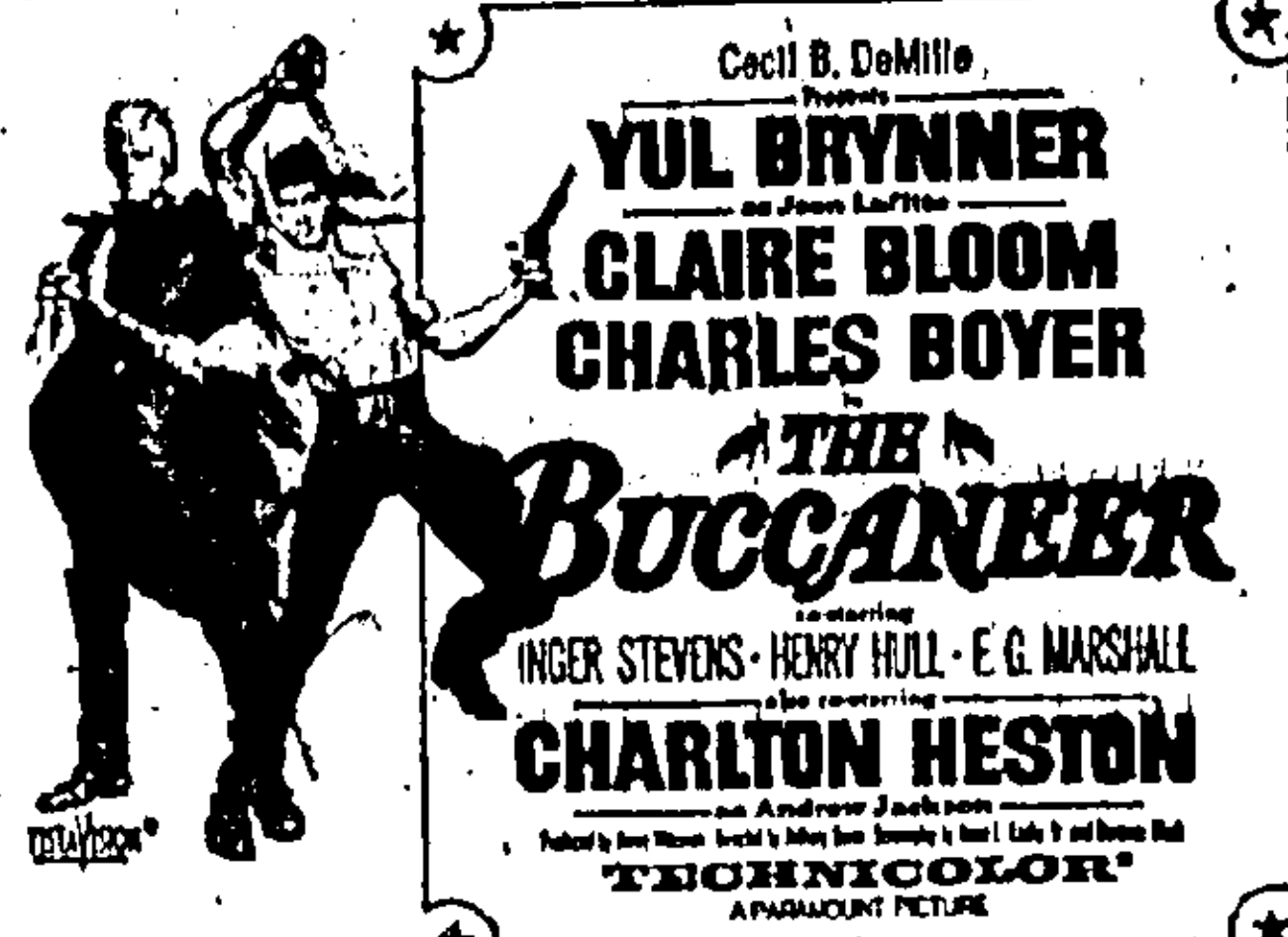
She said she had asked a friend to "fly Errol" to lay a single rose on the coffin. "Errol and I always gave each other a single flower when either of us went anywhere," she said.—Reuter.

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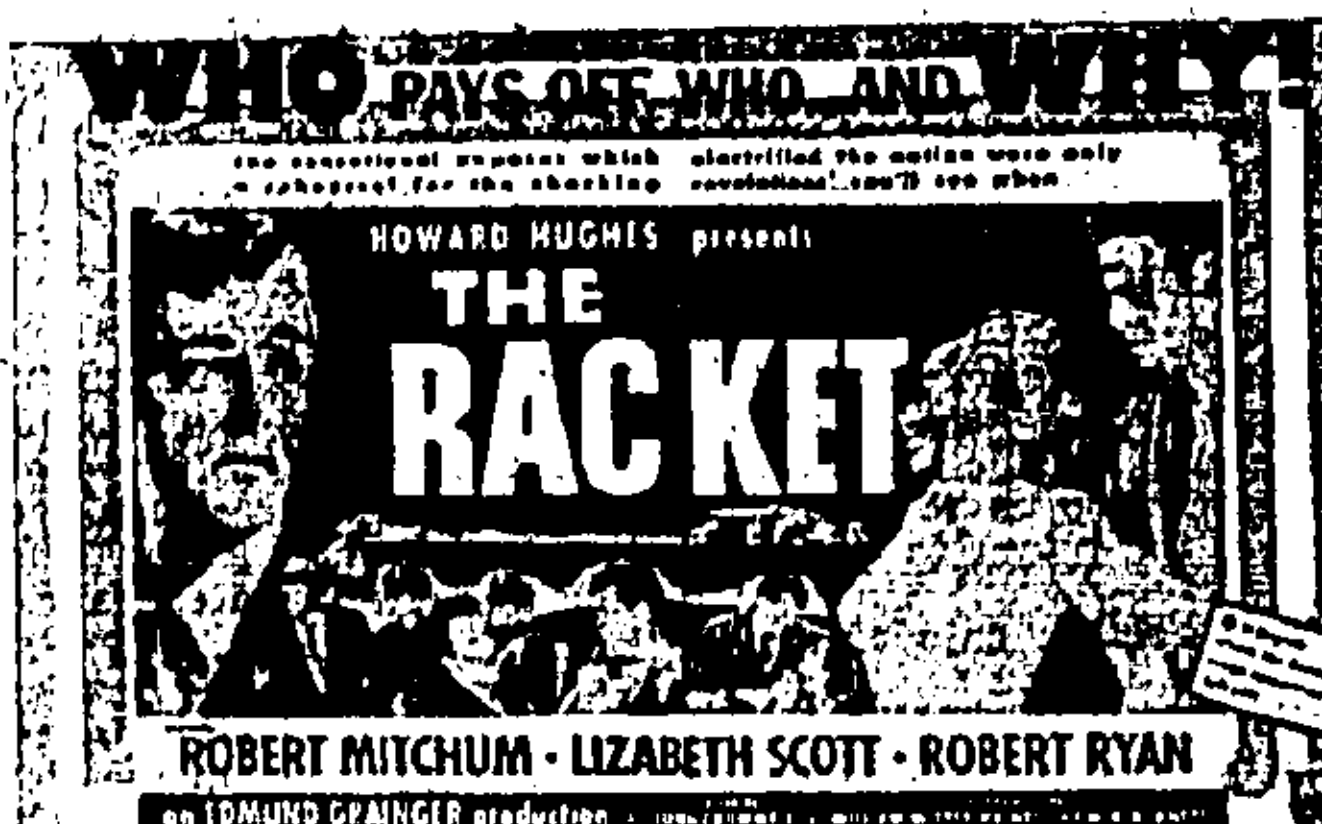
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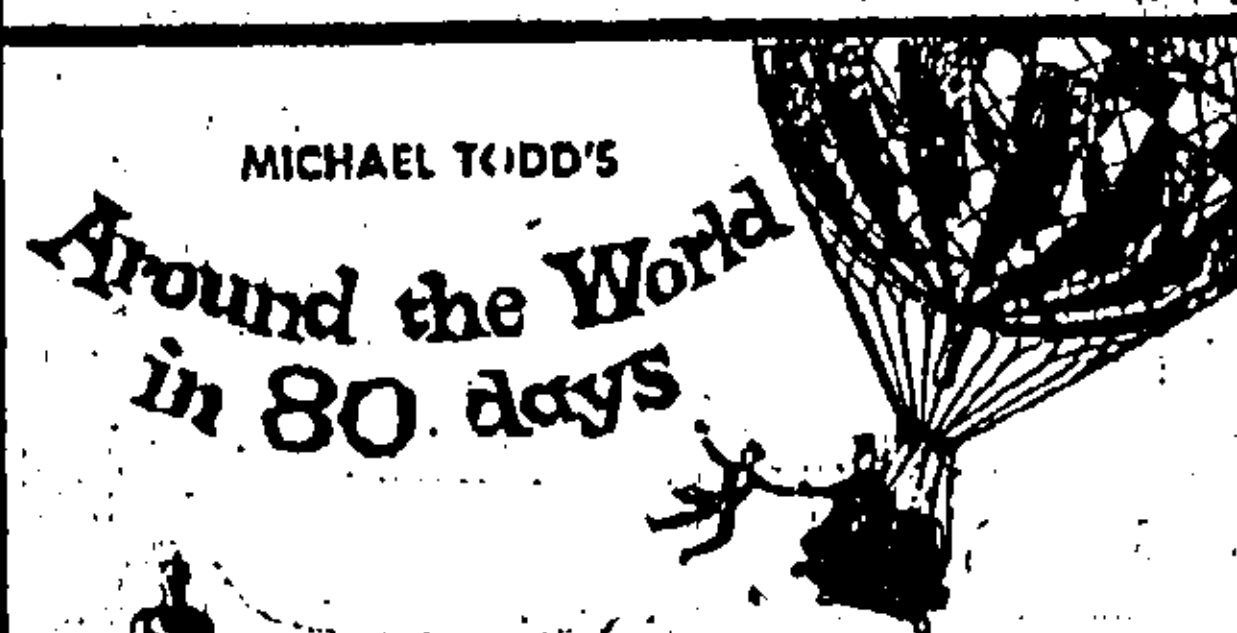
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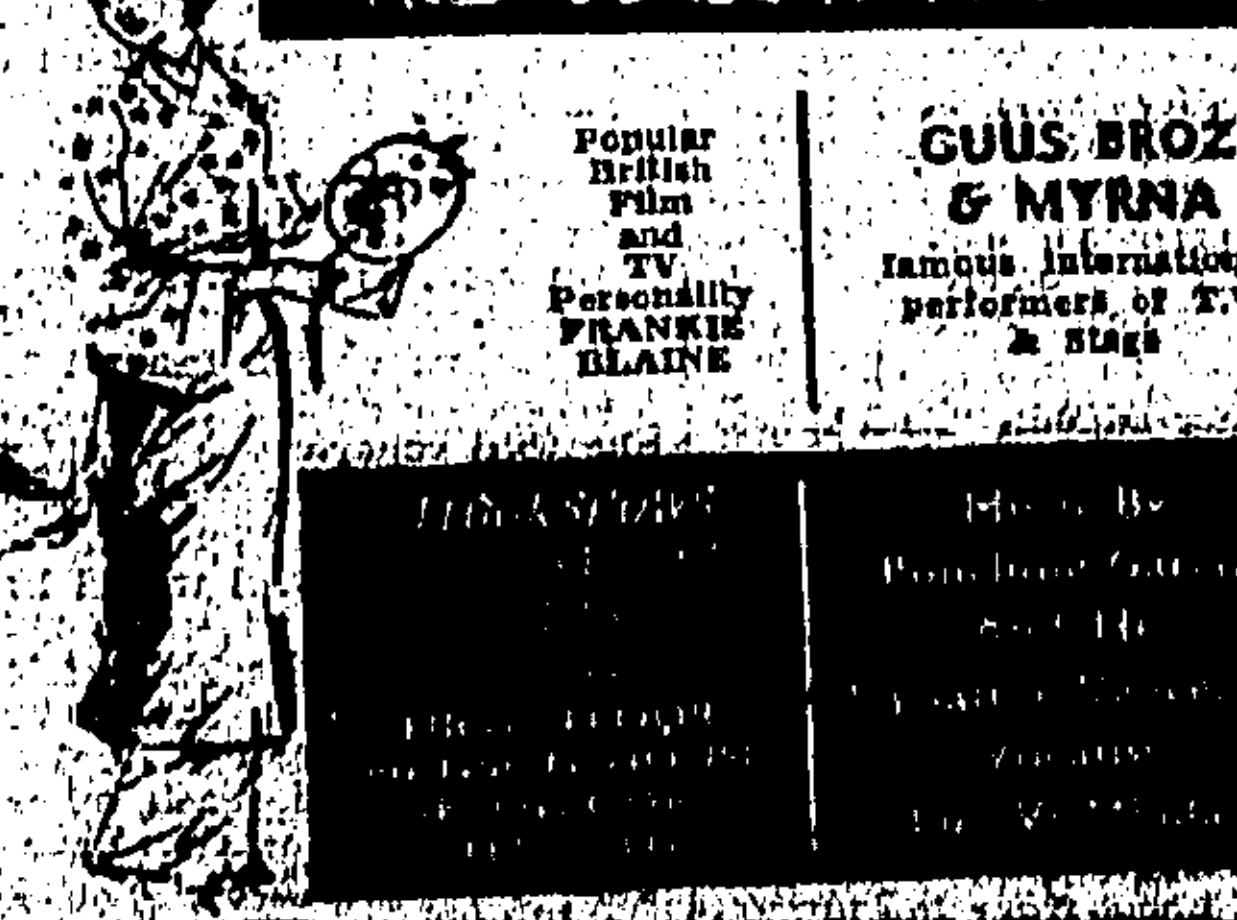
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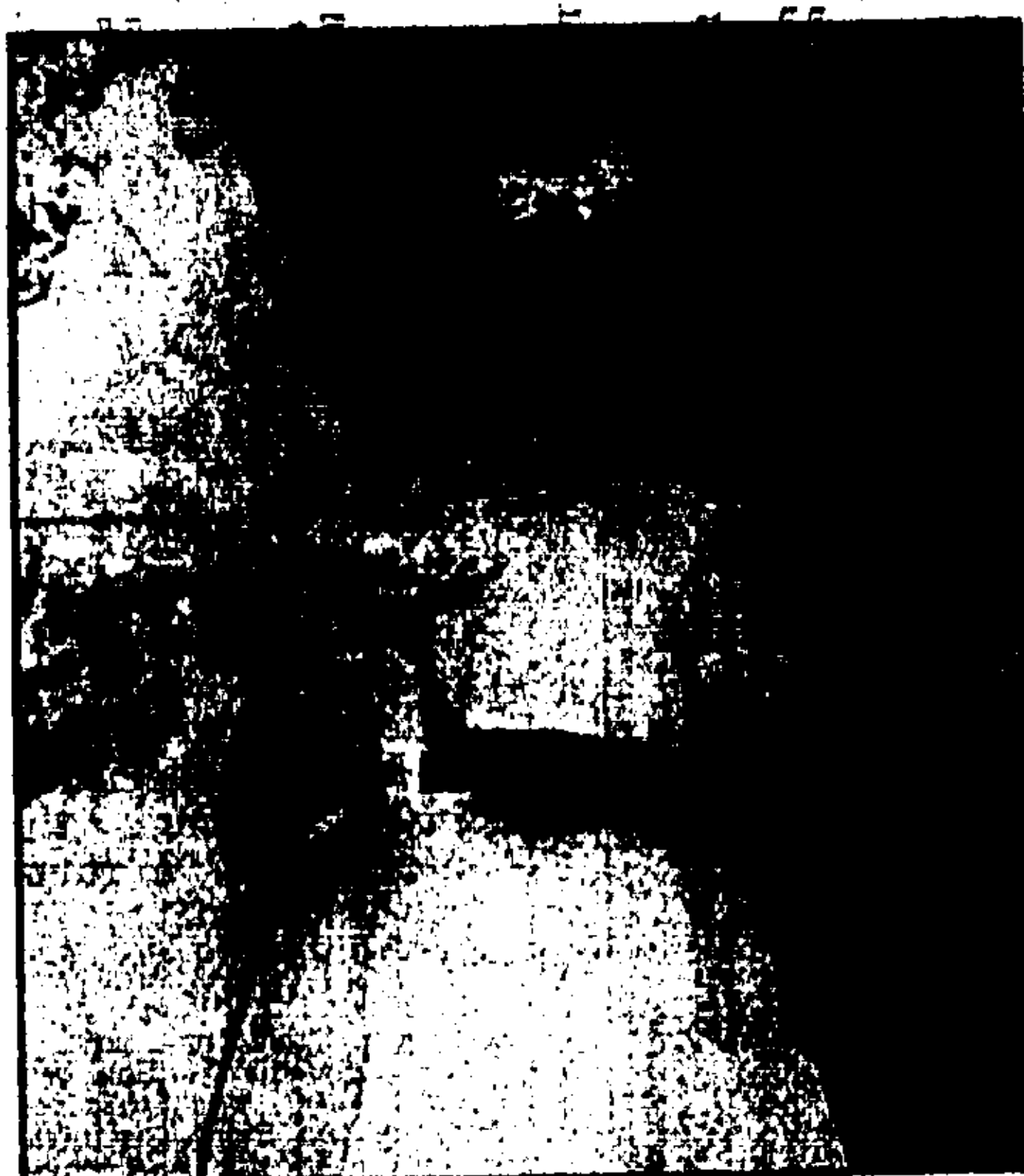
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MACLEOD TAKES OVER African And Mediterranean Problems Have Priority

London, Oct. 19.
Mr Iain MacLeod today formally stepped into Britain's new political scene and inherited the constitutional and other problems of Britain's far flung colonial empire and its 80 million people.



IAIN MACLEOD

Twice into the tangled life of four-year-old Anthea Lyell (shown above) has come tragedy—the first time when she was given away by her mother, Lady Diana Miller, of Salisbury, Rhodesia, because she and her husband "no longer had any love for her"; and the second when her adoptive mother, Mrs Michael Lyell, was killed in an air crash near Benghazi while they were flying to England in August 1958. But recently the tragedy gave way to happiness, when her adoptive father remarried. His bride, Lady Diana's sister, Lady Wendy Felham, Lady Wendy, daughter of the Dowager Countess of Yarborough, recently arrived in East Africa to join Mr Lyell for the wedding. And among the happiest people in the whole affair is the Countess' grandmother, who has cut Lady Diana out of her will, and has always hoped that Anthea would return to her family.—Express Photo.

HAILSHAM'S EXPLANATION FOR LABOUR DEFEAT

Mrs Charity Is Repaid

Doncaster, Oct. 19.
A repentant thief today repaid a 75-year-old widow for a burglary he committed 38 years ago. The widow's name is Mrs Ethel B. Charity.
In 1921 the anonymous thief stole £3 and some clothes from Mrs Charity's home.
Two months ago the local police constable received a letter signed "repentant thief" with £10 enclosed asking him to repay Mrs Charity.
Police traced Mrs Charity, who had changed her residence, and today after receiving the £10 she said:
"Now I'll be able to buy my radio at last. I've been saving up to buy it for years."—UPI.

UK Troops In Cyprus Reduced

Nicosia, Oct. 19.
The Governor of Cyprus, Sir Hugh Foot, said in a statement released here today that British troops in Cyprus had been reduced by 10 regiments since the signing last February of the London agreement giving the island independence.

The statement, the Governor's monthly progress report, was prepared before he flew to London last Saturday for talks on the current situation in the island.—Reuters.

Washington, Oct. 19.
Lord Hailsham, who managed the Conservative Party's campaign during the recent General Election, said today "only discontent or hardship would have increased the Labour vote."

In a copyrighted interview with the weekly magazine U.S. News and World Report, Lord Hailsham said: "They made irresponsible promises... If they had kept their mouths shut, instead of making the irresponsible promises, I don't think the extent of our victory would have been so great."

Lord Hailsham, who has just left his job as Conservative Party chairman, said the party had "the best political organisation in the free world."
He added: "Money can't win an election because money can only pay for propaganda and organisation. Policy is what wins the election—and some generalship which can't be bought."

NOT DOLES

The Conservatives had divined that what people really wanted was property and not doles from the State, Lord Hailsham said.

"The working class values the security of its employment probably more than any other asset, because that has been the key to its increased prosperity since the war," he added, explaining why the Conservatives won a large part of the working class vote from Labour.—Reuters.

Marshall's Funeral

Washington, Oct. 19.
President Eisenhower will attend the funeral service for General George C. Marshall, tomorrow afternoon, the White House announced today.—Reuters.

Mr MacLeod, who is a former Minister of Labour succeeds Mr Alan Lennox-Boyd who has retired after his service in the top colonial post.

Britain's two important colonies—Cyprus and Malaya—have achieved independence and substantial constitutional progress has been made by other colonial territories towards that goal.

Many of Mr MacLeod's immediate problems lie in Africa where recent events have marked off a series of controversy over African demands for self-government.

Mr MacLeod will next tackle the problem of the great federation of Nigeria and its 30 million people who have the colonial ambition to become a Commonwealth nation.

But it is in Cyprus and Malaya, where nationalist demands led to violence, that he has to face his toughest and most controversial issues.

Two vital conferences on the constitutional futures of Kenya and of the Central African Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland, are scheduled for next year.

African nationalist leaders have been campaigning for the end of what they call "white settler rule."

Recent events such as the widespread disturbances in Nyasaland in which a number of Africans were killed by security forces and the deaths from beatings of 11 Mau Mau detainees in the Hola detention camp in Kenya stimulated bitter opposition Labour Party attacks in the British Government's policies and demands for Mr Lennox-Boyd's resignation.—Reuters.

Tally-Ho On The Never Never

London, Oct. 19.
Riding to the hounds is taking a social tumble in wealthy East Grinstead, Surrey, known as the stockbroker's belt.

High-priced scarlet coats and expensive being tossed to the four winds by the ultra-exclusive Old Surrey and Epsom Hunt for members who cannot afford them.

They even will be allowed to pay for membership on the installment plan.
Col Sir Ralph Clark, Joint-Master of the Hunt, one of the oldest in Britain, explained: "We feel it's in accord with modern trends. We're very much against hunting being a rich man's sport. We don't insist on expensive scarlet coats (traditional hunting gear). All we expect is that a member's hunting dress should be tidy."

Membership in the Hunt is £40 a year.
It is payable in monthly or quarterly instalments with practically nothing down.

"Now, at last, it is possible to jump with the Joneses," said one member of the hunt.—UPI.

CHINA'S 74TH WARNING

London, Oct. 19.
Communist China tonight issued its 74th "serious warning" against what it called "military provocations" by United States warships.

According to the New China News Agency the warning was issued by a Foreign Ministry spokesman, who charged that an American warship intruded into China's waters on the Pingtan area in Fukien province between yesterday and today, and another was sighted in the same area this morning.—Reuters.

World's Most Inconvenient Convenience

London, Oct. 19.
They call it a convenience, but it is not. It is located on an island in the middle of a busy traffic circle and to approach it is at risk of life and limb.

The island is at the entrance to London Airport, just in from the main gate, and traffic swirls around it night and day, isolating it forever from mankind.

It sparkles in the sunshine in its fresh yellow paint, a memorial to inconvenience, a triumph of bureaucracy over nature or perhaps vice versa.

PROGRESS

Once it was part of a row of office buildings and storerooms overlooking the busy bottleneck. But progress came to London Airport and with it wrecking crews and bulldozers.

The bottleneck was converted into a major traffic circle where five congested roads converge in some semblance of order. Most of the old office buildings are gone and this one would have been razed too except for the contract.

The future of the little building was guaranteed in fine print—it is the only one of its kind within the stipulated footage of the remaining offices and the contract said it must remain.

High level meetings were called. Ground plans and contracts were studied. Airline employees said it would spoil the entrance to the airport and that no one would dare brave the traffic to get near it.

FINAL COMMENT
Then came the final comment from the aircraft planning office spokesman: "Even if it's never used, the building will have to stay where it is. It's in the contract, you know."
And there it stands in the middle of the entrance, its white painted "Gentlemen" sign swinging from a white painted signpost, relic of a bygone age.—UPI.

SHARKS KEPT OFF

Darwin, Oct. 19.

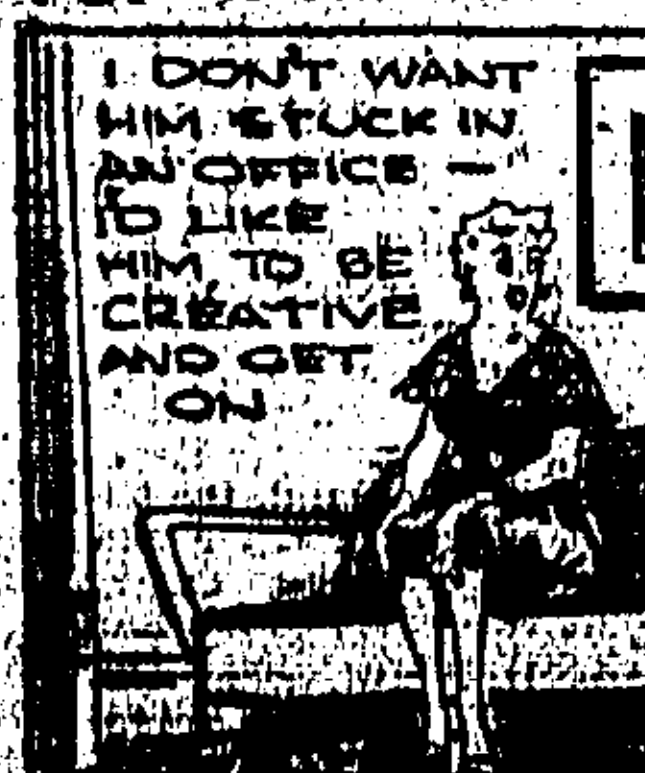
A school of 12 sharks cruised around divers working to salvage an empty boat yesterday, but stayed putside the purple stain of shark repellent spread on the water.

The folding army boat, which was loaded with survey stores, sank in 15 feet of water off Cape Hotham, 30 miles from Darwin, last week. It was carrying stores worth thousands of pounds needed by surveyors mapping the west coast of Arnhem Land, on Australia's north coast.

The divers, members of the Darwin Underwater Club, succeeded in salvaging the boat without being worried by the circling sharks.—China Mail Special.

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UN Debates Tibet

CHINESE ACTIONS EXPECTED TO COME UNDER FIRE

United Nations, Oct. 20. The General Assembly today will begin debate on China's alleged suppression of human rights in Tibet.

The delegates of Malaya and Ireland which together initiated the proposed resolution of the question were due to open the issue.

They have already tabled a draft resolution which would have the 82-member world forum state that it deplored the effect of events in Tibet "in increasing international tension and embittering the relations between peoples at a time when earnest and positive efforts are being made by responsible leaders to reduce tensions and improve international relations."

The draft also calls for "respect for the fundamental human rights of the Tibetan people and for their distinctive cultural and religious life."

TONED DOWN

Nowhere in the document was China mentioned by name but delegates are expected to refer repeatedly in their statements to Chinese actions in autonomous Tibet.

Mr Gyalo Thondup, a brother of the Dalai Lama who is here as his representative, has had frequent conversations with key

delegations in the past few days and he has let it be known that the proposed resolution falls short of the action the Tibetan people would like the United Nations to take.

Earlier, strong drafts were toned down for fear that they might not command sufficient support for adoption by the Assembly.

Apart from Malaya which was due to open the debate and Ireland, only one other speaker—Cuba—was listed for the morning session.

Delegates said they expected the discussion to go on until tomorrow afternoon with the Soviet Union and other Communist countries taking the Chinese side. Already they have accused the West of promoting the question as a "cold war" issue.

—Reuters.

RISE IN RAILWAY FARES

London, Oct. 19. Millions of Britons will pay more for their railway fares from November 1.

The British Transport Commission tonight announced that second class ordinary railway fares would be increased then by one farthing a mile.

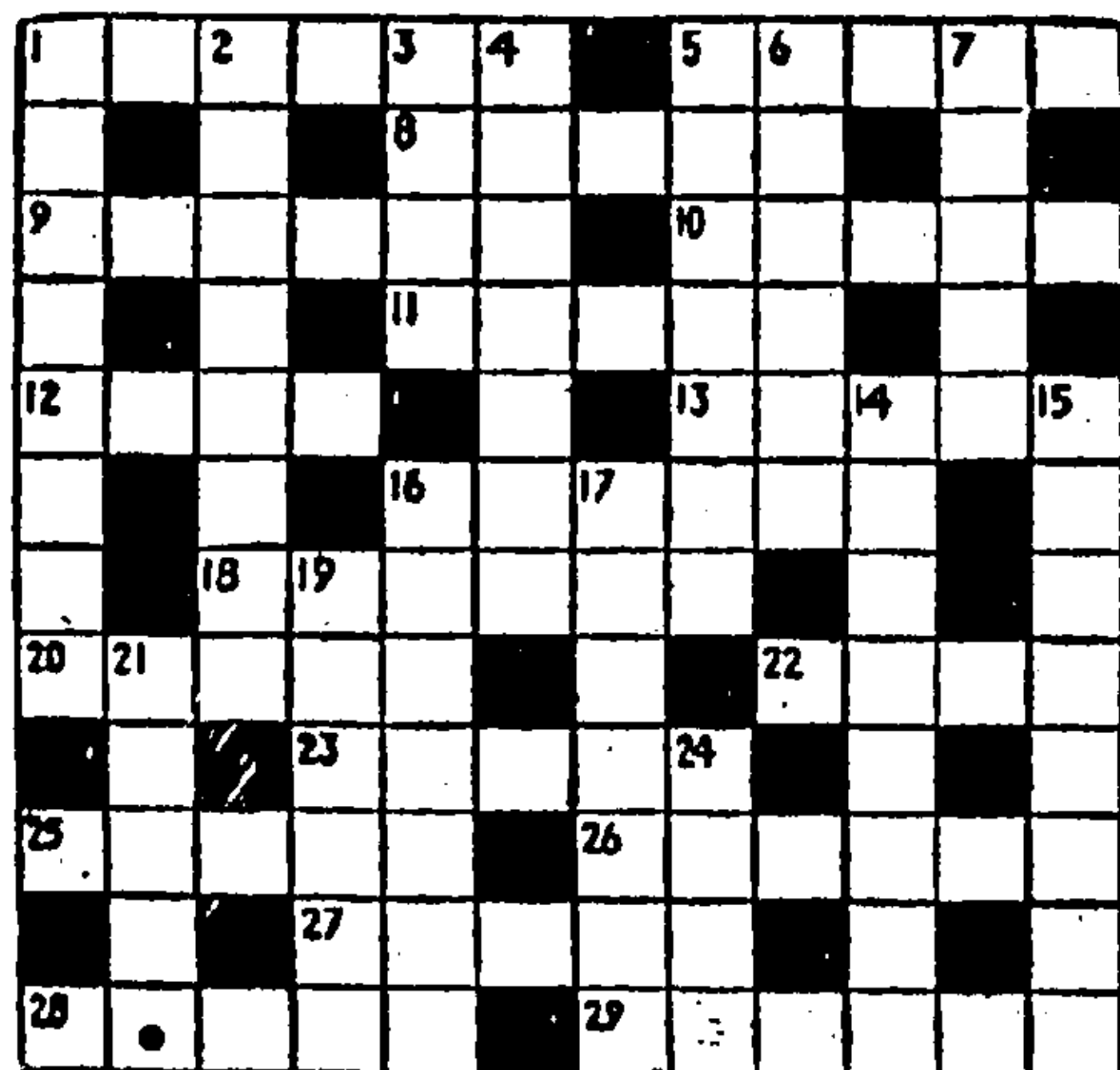
A one-way ticket for the 50-mile journey from London to Brighton, for example, will now cost 9s 9d instead of 9s 6d. A similar ticket from London to Glasgow, Scotland, will cost 72s instead of 67s.

SEASON TICKETS

Worried commuters learned that monthly season ticket charges in the London area would go up from about four per cent to two miles to about 15 per cent at 24 miles and over.

The Commission also announced they were introducing cheap daily and five-day off-peak tickets to encourage rail travel in the London area outside rush hours.—Reuters.

A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- 1 Aim high—at a steeple? (6).
- 2 Fish or mixed steak should go on ice? (5).
- 3 Make one (5).
- 4 The month of majesty (6).
- 5 Gaseous stuff in a theatre (5).
- 6 River bridge for cricketers (6).
- 7 Cheese from Breda, maybe (4).
- 8 Scholarly group (5).
- 9 Beutious bunches? (6).
- 10 If you want a nap, this might help (6).
- 11 She is in the States, between South and North (6).
- 12 In which librarians spend much of their time (4).
- 13 Smoker's remainder (5).
- 14 Tell off on a roof (5).
- 15 Execution (6).
- 16 Take out (6).
- 17 Asterisks at the top of the bill (5).
- 18 A fine point may be a necessity for him (6).

DOWN

- 1 But they're not necessarily expert players (8).
- 2 Shows (6).
- 3 Become inefficient by inaction (4).
- 4 Menu items (7).
- 5 Might one call it a cut-out job? (7).
- 6 Water heater! (6).
- 7 Pines, perhaps (5).
- 8 Amaze (8).
- 9 You don't know him (8).
- 10 Chaffs—the would-be slimmers (7).
- 11 Over talkative (7).
- 12 Tosses of a holiday period (6).
- 13 Not switched on, might we say? (5).
- 14 Fat of the tissue type (4).
- 15 Excursion (6).
- 16 Take out (6).
- 17 Asterisks at the top of the bill (5).
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YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD—Across: 3 Boss, 7 Pl-let, 8 Omen, 9 Kind, 10 Der-went, 12 Able, 18 Arise, 19 Brat, 19 Leeds, 21 Skids, 22 Hive, 23 Elate, 26 Deed, 29 Inertia, 30 Apod, 31 Menu, 32 Again, 33 Bees, Down: 1 Miner, 2 Forward, 4 Omits, 5 Soda, 6 Pool, 9 Knit, 11 Erase, 18 Blap, 14 East, 16 Elite, 17 Use-D, 18 Bite, 20 Averse, 22 Hand, 24 Lago, 25 Vayd, 27 Eve-it, 28 Deub.

NO MISSILE BASE IN GREECE

Washington, Oct. 19.

Plans to establish an Intermediate Range Ballistic Missile base in Greece appear to have been abandoned, informed sources said today.

Negotiations were reported to have been suspended now for several months, and officials said they know of no intention to renew them in the immediate future.

The discussions were being conducted between the headquarters of General Lauris Norstad, the Allied Supreme Commander in Europe, and the Greek Government.

EFFECT

Britain is the only country in Europe at present with the 1,500-mile IRBM's on site, but an agreement on their use has been reached with Italy and there have been predictions recently that an announcement would be made soon on stationing them in Turkey.

The effect of dropping plans for a missile base in Greece would be that in the foreseeable future the IRBM retaliatory power of the North Atlantic Alliance would be maintained from Britain, Italy and Turkey.—Reuters.

Ministers Meet The Queen

London, Oct. 19.

The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh returned here today after their summer holiday at Balmoral Castle.

Within three hours of her return to Buckingham Palace the Queen began to receive ministers involved in the recent Government changes made by the Prime Minister, Mr Harold Macmillan. Later, the Queen held a Privy Council, which was attended by ministers with new appointments who took the oath of allegiance and kissed hands on receiving their seals of office.

The first to be received by the Queen at the Palace today was Mr Alan Lennox-Boyd, who delivered up his seals of office as Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Mr Lennox-Boyd has rejoined the Board of Governors, the brewers, the firm announced today. He is to be appointed an executive director.—Reuters.

Gangway Collapse Inquiry

New London, Conn., Oct. 19.

An investigation into the collapse of a gangway leading to a British submarine depot ship here, causing at least nine people to fall about 12 feet to a dock and into the river was being made today.

Three injured people were sent to hospital and two others were given first-aid.

The gangway, about 20 feet long and leading from a wooden platform on the dockside to the dock of HMS Adman, collapsed yesterday as local people were visiting the vessel which has been at the United States submarine base here with eight Royal Navy submarines for the past week.

British and American seamen leaped into the River Thames here to rescue a number of men and women who were pitched into the water.

British and American naval officers said the end of the gangway slipped from the platform on the dock.—China Mail Special.

Courier's Death Said Suicide

Vienna, Oct. 19.

Rumanian diplomatic courier Cornel Crisban, who was found in his underclothes face down in a bath full of water last Friday night, committed suicide, a post mortem examination disclosed here today.

Two Rumanian experts were flown to Vienna to attend the examination, carried out by Austrian doctors. The autopsy report said: "There was no indication that a second person was involved in the case."

Crisban, 35, was found by a colleague in the bathroom of the visitor's flat of the Rumanian Legation's Commercial Department.

DROWNED

When Austrian Police were called in at least six hours later they found his body with both wrists slashed, stab wounds in his stomach and a glass of salicylic acid. A dagger and a safety razor blade lay in a pool of blood and water on the floor.

The injuries were not fatal, the examination report said. Crisban neither fell unconscious into the water, or deliberately plunged into it and drowned.—Reuters.

Singapore Labour Legislation Revolution

Singapore, Oct. 19.

An Australian legal expert, Mr C. F. Weston, arrived here by air today from Canberra to help the Singapore Government draft "revolutionary" labour laws.

His arrival followed the recommendation of Mr H.A. Blund, the Permanent Secretary to the Australian Ministry of Labour and National Service, who has been studying labour conditions in Singapore since he arrived here last Sunday.

Mr Blund and Mr Weston are here at the invitation of the Singapore Government.

The Minister for Labour and Law, Mr K. M. Byrne, told reporters today that it was the Government's intention to revolutionise labour legislation to meet the needs of the growing working population on the island.

Mr Byrne said that Mr Blund before his departure next Monday would advise the Government on the drafting of new labour legislation and submit recommendations for setting up a labour court on the same lines as those in Australia.—Reuters.

Relationships Legitimised

Fatima, Portugal, Oct. 19.

Altogether 180 working couples aged 16 to 80 who had lived together illegitimately were married in a mass wedding here today in Our Lady's Basilica.

The newlyweds, from throughout Portugal, were persuaded to legitimise their relationship under the Government Social Services campaign to stamp out concubinage.

The Social Service of the Ministry of Trades (Labour and Industry) offered repentant couples "spiritual and spiritual protection" if they legitimize their marital status.

After the ceremony the president of Portugal's Labor Union Confederation thanked the Minister for work in doing away with common-law marriages.—AFP.



PRIVATE COOPER PLAYS RUTH

That's only nearly correct, for in fact 20-year-old Israeli Elena Cooper won't be joining the army until she returns to Israel from Hollywood and her current part in the title role of 20th Century Fox's now-in-production "The Story of Ruth." Until then the Israeli authorities have exempted her from her liability under the country's universal call-up rule. Elena, Israeli-born, came to the notice of the film moguls when she was one of the three finalists in the world-wide search to find a girl to play the part of Anne Frank. She is 5 ft 2, brown-eyed, brown-haired, confesses to a romantic attachment to a young Israeli playwright she refuses to name.—Express Photo.

Chessman Rebukes Governor Who Refused Clemency

San Quentin, Calif., Oct. 19.

Caryl Chessman, calm and cocky, charged today that Gov Edmund G. Brown denied him clemency because of political expedience.

Chessman said, "He made his bid, made his verbal bow and paid his homage to hysteria." "It was the politically expedient thing for him to do," Chessman said. The prisoner told reporters Brown did exactly what Chessman had predicted.

Chessman showed no reaction to the news that Brown had refused to interfere with the 38-year-old kidnapper's scheduled execution in the San Quentin Prison gas chamber on Friday. He spoke with reporters and held out his hand to prove he was not trembling, and he took the press to task for previously reporting that he was nervous.

SARCASM

Chessman discussed Brown with sarcasm. Asked to comment on the charge that one of his victims was still in an insane asylum because of his acts, he said about Brown: "Of course, he's a better psychologist than the psychologists who died from his victims. He has now emerged not only as presidential timber, but as a psychologist."

Told that Brown regretted the lack of conviction by Chessman, the prisoner said, "There was probably no conviction on the part of Galileo or Copernicus."

Chessman restated his claim of innocence: "I am not the red light bandit."

MORE APPEALS

He said he was ready to die on Friday morning, but that he would be working at his typewriter turning out more appeals almost right up to his execution hour. Chessman insisted he would not have accepted commutation of his two death sentences to life imprisonment without possibility of parole. "It merely would have been another form of death penalty," Chessman said. He would make no special requests, such as for a special meal, before gas execution except for inviting persons to attend it.

He has invited Rosalie Asher, Sacramento attorney, and two others not including Davis. The law allows him to select five witnesses if he chooses.

Miss Asher may become the first woman to witness an execution in the San Quentin gas chamber.—UPI.

Tomahawk Attack On Theatre Audience Related In Court

Sydney, Oct. 19.

A man charged with a tomahawk attack on an audience in a Sydney theatre last month, later explained: "I wanted to kill them all—they were following me about and laughing at me," Police told the Coroner's Court here today.

The evidence was given at the opening of an inquest on an 80-year-old man who died from injuries received in the attack while watching a film screening at Sydney's Regent Theatre. Polish immigrant Brodny Mazurski, 38, upholsterer of suburban Haberfield, has been charged with having murdered Richard Henry Lewis, of Carlingbah, an outer city suburb. Mazurski has also been charged on 10 counts of having caused grievous bodily harm and one of having assaulted a woman.

HANDCUFFED

When the hearing began, the Coroner agreed to a Police request that Mazurski be kept handcuffed. Detective-Sergeant F. G. Hughes said that about 4.20 a.m. on September 9 this year he went with other Police to the Regent Theatre and saw a number of people suffering from head wounds and other injuries.

Inside the theatre Lewis was sitting injured beside his wife who said her husband had been attacked by a madman.

Sgt-Hughes said that later at the Criminal Investigation Bureau he saw Mazurski in the custody of another detective who

told him Mazurski was the man who had attacked people in the Regent Theatre with an axe that afternoon. "I said to Mazurski, 'Is that correct?' He said: 'Yes they would not leave me alone. They have been following me about and laughing at me.'"

ATTACK

"A constable then showed me a small tomahawk and said: 'This is the tomahawk that was taken from him and the one which he used to attack people.'"

"I asked Mazurski if that was correct and he replied: 'Yes I wanted to kill them all.' 'I said: 'You understand you will be charged in connection with these offences.' He replied: 'Yes, I understand that. I am not sorry.'"

PEOPLE SCREAMED

Usherette Edith Hanks, employed at the Regent Theatre nearby, said she attended the afternoon film session at the Regent Theatre with a friend.

Suddenly people began screaming and she saw a man in the back stalls hit Lewis two or three times over the head with an axe. Lewis fell over a seat, and the other man struck him again.

She ran from the theatre and the man with the axe ran through an exit leading into a laneway, where he struck an elderly woman who was also running from the theatre.

David John Whitford, of suburban Bellevue Hill, said he was in the theatre when Mazurski attacked a number of the patrons.

"I shouted at him to stop but he did not answer and kept striking the people," he said. "I could not see what he was using but I looked in the rolled newspapers or a piece of wood."

"I got a torch from the house phonebox and then saw Mazurski walking towards the stage and striking people as he went. He was using a tomahawk," Whitford added.

The coroner committed Mazurski for trial at Sydney's central criminal court on September 9 on the charge of having murdered Lewis. Bail was refused.

Mazurski was remanded to the central police station court on December 1 on the 10 charges of having caused grievous bodily harm charges and the assault count.—China Mail Special.

'It's Good To Be Out' Expelled U.S. Official Says

Amsterdam, Oct. 19.

American Embassy attache, Mr Russell Langelle, and his family arrived here today from Moscow tonight after being expelled from the Soviet Union for alleged espionage.

"It's good to be out," Mr Langelle said as he got off an aircraft from the Soviet capital. "They contain a detail of the incident and there is nothing I can add at the present time."

With Mr Langelle were his wife Miriam, 35, and their three young children.

Asked whether his expulsion might be the beginning of a new Soviet anti-American campaign Mr Langelle replied: "no comment."

He said he could appreciate "all the more the freedom we do have in the countries of the free world, having experienced an incident like this in an iron curtain country."

United States officials have denied the charge and have protested to the Russians against Mr Langelle's abduction.

The attache, who handled security for the American Embassy in Moscow, said he had been able to pack all his family's essential belongings in the short notice he was given to leave Moscow thanks to Embassy friends who had helped "in a dozen ways."

The Langelles will stay in an Amsterdam hotel tonight. Their further travel plans are not yet certain. "I am awaiting further instructions," he said. It is understood that Mr Langelle would have left for New York either tomorrow or Wednesday.—UPI.

The statement was made by Roscoe Drummond in his widely-circulated syndicated column today.

Asked for comment, the State Department spokesman, Mr Lincoln White, said it had repeatedly made it clear that if a Chinese Communist newspaperman applied for a visa, the Secretary of State would consider recommending the waiver of regulations which exclude known Communists from the United States.

NO APPLICATION

Repeating an announcement made last April 23, Mr White commented today "Not one Chinese Communist correspondent has yet filed an application."

After forbidding U.S. reporters to go to China, the State Department two years ago relaxed its position and issued valid passports to a group representing the major press associations, newspapers and other media. But the Chinese Communists, demanding automatic reciprocity, refused to grant the visas.—Reuters.

SOVIET CHARGE

Tonight, after Mr Langelle had flown out of Moscow, the Soviet Union charged that he headed espionage instructions to "an American agent who is at present in the Soviet Union."

The news agency Tass said he had "used his stay in the USSR to carry out intelligence work."

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NEW CAMPAIGN

Some 2,000 lorries complete with their loads were stolen in the London police district alone during the first six months of this year it said. The total was about £276,800 sterling. Announcing a new drive to fight the gangs preying the Association said a "master mind" was believed to be behind the raids, supplying highwaymen with accurate information about long caravans and disposing of the loot without trace.—China Mail Special.

The Road Haulage Association alerted its 17,000 members firm that "hundreds of lorries have already been spirited away this year complete with valuable loads of food, tobacco, television and radio sets."

CHINA WILL HAVE WORLD'S LARGEST DAM

Moscow, Oct. 19. A group of 50 Soviet engineers are directing preparatory work in peoples China for a huge dam on the Yangtze River which will take twenty years to build and will be the largest in the world. It was disclosed here today.

This was stated at a press conference today by Michael Strauss, the assistant of a group of three American engineers, Ernest Gruening, Frank Moss, and Edmund H. Lewis, who are spending a month in the Soviet Union, including Shanghai.

Strauss said the dam would produce 25 million kilowatts of hydroelectric power when completed. He said the three visiting engineers had learned that 7,000 Chinese engineers would work on the project under the technical direction of the Soviet engineers. The building of the dam has not yet started.—AFP.

A Marx Brother obeys the "oige" to act again

CHICO MARX, the one who plays the piano, the one who gambles, flew into London from Hollywood recently, bent, weary, and with this one crack: "Groucho and Harpo are rich men—but me, I'm in England."

At 67, the eldest of the Marx Brothers is here to work. Last time was in 1948.

He still has the pert, twisted, slow smile, but his speech is low and slow—and still has a trace of the New York backstreet.

His losses

Soon Chico will be back on the boards in variety in Bradford. He has a radio show lined up for the B.B.C., and a TV programme on Sunday.

Slowly, the veteran of those rowdy old movies, said: "Once in a while I get the oige to act again...nothing thrills you like having an audience in the palm of your hand."

Chico has tremendous dignity, he has beautiful hands. If he hardly ever takes off his grey frock, it is because he is sensitive about his thinning, grizzled hair.

His brothers saved their cash, Chico did not.

And he admitted to me before he went to bed at tea time: "I guess I have lost around two million dollars gambling. I had money. I lost it—Las Vegas, the races, women."

"The first crap game I played I lost 47,000 dollars in one night. But I learned as I went along. In time I was able to lose more than that."

"Now Groucho is rich. He never went to Las Vegas. But he

By JAMES THOMAS



spends cash other ways. His present wife is his third."

But even though Groucho and Harpo don't have money worries, it looks as though the three brothers will be back together again soon for the first time since "Night in Casablanca" 12 years ago.

Saved

"Maybe just sometimes I wish I had saved a little more money. But I got an oil mine, and I'm drawing one dollar 60 cents every month from it. Maybe there's time to make a fortune yet."

"The other night all five of us—Gummo is still around as Groucho's manager—had dinner together in Hollywood, and we talked about making a movie on the life of the Marx Brothers. But where could we find five sound-so's who look like us?"

"Comedians nowadays have changed a lot. Today they just stand in front of a TV camera and tell the same jokes."

"Maybe that's why Westerns are so popular."

The loves of Errol Flynn

Hollywood.

ERROL FLYNN was a 20th Century Casanova who made love to countless women—making love but never finding it.

Sure, he was loved for his charm, his wealth, his dashing virility. But the self-assured, self-admitted Lothario sought a deeper emotional response from the females in his life. And only occasionally did this facet of the inner longing express itself.

Two years ago, when his marriage to third wife Patrice Wymore was wavering, he unexpectedly told me, "Love is a strange thing. If you hold it too tightly, cherish it too dearly, it will die. Yet, if you regard it too lightly it will escape you altogether."

He sincerely believed he loved all three of his wives.

His complaint about his first two marriages—to Lili Damita and Nora Eddington—was that his wives attempted to reform him.

After marrying Miss Wymore, he said, "I've found a woman I love, and who loves me. So my story has a happy ending. Pat never tries to reform me."

But no one woman was able to fill the actor's insatiable appetite for excitement and at the same time provide the security that Flynn sought in a marriage.

Before, during and between his three marriages Flynn had his girl friends. They were a diversion, a means of living up to his reputation as a great lover. But he seldom spoke of his conquests, and only smiled when friends and acquaintances alluded to his romantic flings.

Clean-cut

In this respect he was a better man than many of those who criticised him. Scores of stars were—and still are—leading scoundrel lives, but deviously and with phony piety.

Today, Page Four presents the first of a three-part series on the "life and times" of Errol Flynn, who suffered a fatal heart attack in Vancouver, British Columbia, last week. The series was written by Vernon Scott, veteran UPI Hollywood correspondent, a long time acquaintance of the late actor.

"I live my life the way I like it," he often said. "I make no apologies and I judge no one else. If anyone is hurt by my behaviour it is only me, and I'm not complaining."



Debonair Flynn seen here surrounded by a bevy of pretty debutantes during a dress show a few years ago. Shortly before his death he had this cynical comment to make: "There is no such thing as a happy marriage....Believe me, I know."

break into an hilarious chapter from his past life. He had a cultured voice with just a trace of English accent. Proof of Flynn's great charm was the high regard in which he was held by his wives after he had jilted them for other women.

His last spouse, Patrice Wymore, spoke for all when she said, "I wish I could hate him, but I can't. He's the most lovable man in the world."

"I like Flynn" became a national joke, and like all stories and anecdotes surrounding him, it took a good grace.

Open as he was about the superficialities of his life, Flynn rarely confided in anyone. When he was hurt most he put up a gay, bon vivant front to mask his real feelings.

In the face of emotional turmoil the flashy screen idol turned in his best acting performances.

"I've had my share of human disaster," he said recently. "I

TOMORROW:
FLYNN'S CAREER

Skull may be clue to origin of man

Found in a jungle

London.

A STRANGE brown skull which may at last solve the riddle of man's beginning went on show before a distinguished scientific audience recently.

It was the first time the skull—between 600,000 and a million years old—had been seen in public since it was unearthed in the African jungle last July.

For the privilege of seeing it, 500 well-known scientists packed a Piccadilly lecture hall.

Nearly half of them stood, unable to get seats, as the enthralling story of the skull was unfolded.

Having sifted the evidence, the experts then looked into the

eye sockets of the slightly battered object, and described the discoveries as "remarkable."

Many said the theory of evolution expounded by Charles Darwin a century ago had now been conclusively proved and that this finally was the missing link.



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Dr Leakey and the 600,000-year-old skull.

The man who brought the skull to England is Dr Louis Leakey, curator of the Croydon Museum at Malmesbury.

He is one of the world's leading anthropologists.

No forehead

"Mr Nutcracker" is the nickname scientists have given to the creature to whom the skull once belonged.

Mr Nutcracker was short, probably under 5 feet.

He had practically no forehead and an enormously elongated face.

He was bull necked, but walked more completely erect than the man of 1959.

He was barrel-chested with huge collarbones but his limbs were slender.

Agile, fast

Because he had no weapons he depended for his safety from the roving giants of the jungle on his agility and fleetness.

In his world, it rained very often.

Probably, he was one of a large family living beside a lake infested with crocodiles and full of fish.

His meals were mainly of snakes, frogs, rats, mice and birds.

In Mr Nutcracker's day, men probably were changing from a vegetarian to a meat diet, but he was incapable of hunting the huge creatures whose remains have been found nearby.

Mr Nutcracker was probably a youth of about 18 with a brain half the size of a modern man's. After he died, his relatives left his body in the family cave.

The lake repeatedly flooded and the sediment descending on his bones solidified into stone.

The tomb was a 22ft depth of rock overlaid by deposits of other material and volcanic lava.

This was let into the steep side of a 300ft cliff.

30 years work

To reach Mr Nutcracker's remains, Dr Leakey and his wife for 30 years worked with a dental pick and tiny paint brushes on the rock face.

The doctor's first find was a milk tooth.

He realised he was about to recover something more dramatic.

To silence sceptics, he engaged cameramen to record proof of his search.

Before the cameras arrived, his wife picked up a fossil palate.

The doctor knew he had discovered the remains of the connecting link between the South African "ape men" and true man.

To show the skull recently Dr Leakey walked into the lecture-room carrying a wooden box which nobody else had been permitted to handle.

From it he carefully pulled three plastic bags, each containing part of the skull.

Just Fancy That!

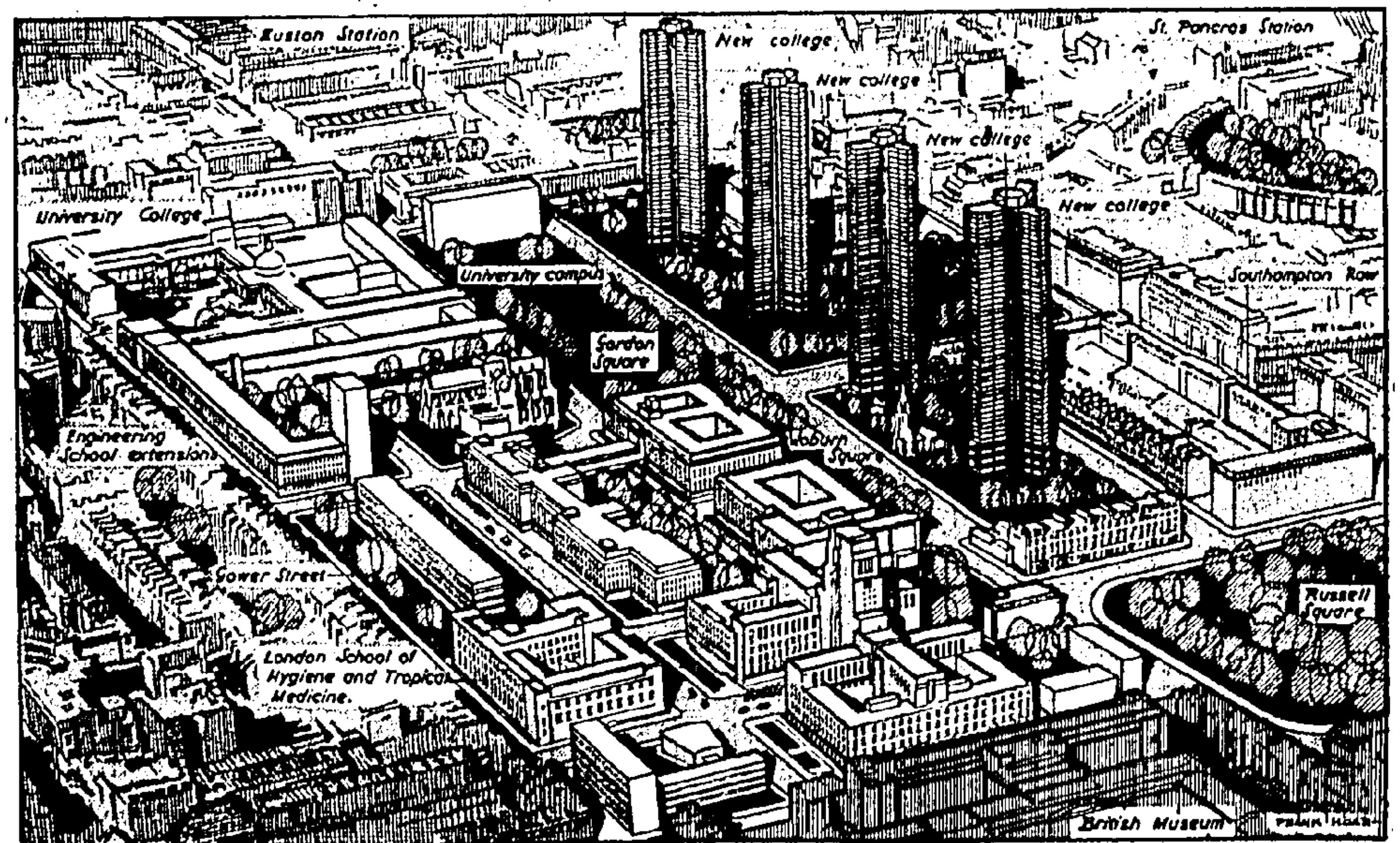
LOVELY SARAH, a two-year-old filly, cantered up to the starting tapes at Ayr the other day with jockey Tony Rawlinson on her back.

Up went the starter's flag—and up on her hind legs went Lovely Sarah. Down to the ground went her jockey.

Tony chased her for four furlongs, then spotted a taxi parked at the track-side.

He leaped in and chased Lovely Sarah right round the course. He caught her and got her back to the tapes for the start. She finished last.

This is how I would plan London University



London.

A PLAN for the expanding needs of London University in Bloomsbury has been prepared by Sir Leslie Martin, professor of Town Planning at Cambridge University, and has now been adopted.

Various colleges and institutions of the University have long been spread over London, but many have now been rebuilt around the great Senate House, and the conception of a University Centre in Bloomsbury is now taking shape.

The university area extends from Tottenham Court Road on the west to Southampton Row on the east, and from the British Museum on the south to Euston Road on the north.

As a great centre of learning it fills a tremendous role and its growth and development as the Commonwealth University, which includes every race and colour among its students, is a matter of vital importance to the British family of nations.

Urgent

The idea of a precinct excluding all through traffic was first suggested in the Forshaw Abercrombie plan for the County

By FRANK HOAR

no place in a great and congested metropolis where building sites are of high value and every tree and open space a matter of great concern to the health and convenience of the population.

Nothing, therefore, should be done to interfere in any way with these amenities and the positioning of the blocks and the obstruction to the views of these fine, green spaces must be regarded as a major fault.

Through motor traffic is to be permitted to bisect the university area. This should be reserved as an unimpeded way for pedestrians, whether students or otherwise.

The scheme is in block form only, and the type of architecture proposed is a matter for conjecture.

The scheme shown in the drawing shows an open plan

with skyscraper colleges and wide, unimpeded open spaces.

The open space area is in fact increased by inclusion of a great university campus on the American model, and all through motor traffic is prohibited.

(London Express Service).

QUOTE

—by Earl Attlee at Dover recently:

It is no good trying to make a nice little heaven in Great Britain if there is going to be hell outside. Armaments are out of date, yet countries are still spending billions of pounds piling up armaments they know they will never use.

WOMANSENSE

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TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20

AQUARIUS (January 21-February 19): Given an unusual problem to solve, you ought to make sure of the accuracy of every detail and not try to precipitate the result.

PISCES (February 20-March 20): You may not relish the idea, but a matter concerning your family may occupy a great part of your time today.

ARIES (March 21-April 19): The tension due to complications in your affairs will gradually be eased to your great relief.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20): An opportunity will be given to you today to examine your immediate prospects and to make definite plans for the future.

GEMINI (May 21-June 21): Although you have a grievance which worries you, you must control your temper when airing it and the result will be much more satisfactory.

CANCER (June 22-July 21): A youngster will come to you for advice, and you must do your very best, even if it takes some time, to steer him on the right course.

LEO (July 22-August 21): A tricky social situation will demand all your skill

to satisfy all the persons involved.

VIRGO (August 22-September 22): Put on an extra spurt at work today, since you feel that your efforts lately have not been too satisfactory.

LIBRA (September 23-October 23): If you want to make the right decision regarding a far-reaching project, you must settle your emotions and take the purely practical point of view.

SCORPIO (October 24-November 21): You may be persuaded to take part in some regular weekly meetings, and the contact with a new set of people will do you good.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22-December 21): A chance to develop a latent ability may develop into a very remunerative occupation for you later in life.

CAPRICORN (December 22-January 20): The affair which you arranged so long before-hand will turn out a complete success because of the great pains you have taken to make it so.

YOUR LUCKY COLOUR: If today is your birthday, look out for **HELIOTROPE**. It ought to bring you luck.

ROME: Still a shot in the arm for any woman

by BARBARA GRIGGS

TEN years ago no woman went to Italy without returning round-eyed. . . . "Those shoes, darling, and those marvellous sweaters and the way the girls walk. . . ." Hypnotised with admiration, Englishwomen cropped their hair short like the girls on the Spanish steps, left-off wearing lipstick, ran rings round their eyes and fell in love with sloppy sweaters.

Now, 10 years later, a trip to Italy is just as much of a shot in the arm for a woman; the Italian flair for colour, their zany, intensely feminine chic, their mad speculative leaps into the fashion future (where they usually land on both feet) make them a pleasure to study and an instruction, too.

Less mesmerised, and more critical, we can still learn from them. And if English girls now rival Italians in their prettiness and chic—well, the Italians deserve some of the credit for that, too.

Here, then, is my rapid round-up of the Italian idea for this autumn:

They're investing heavily in all the purples. From palest to deepest emperor purples, the shop windows in Rome are a riot of them all, and the top sweater colour is deep aubergine or Parma violet, a demanding colour that takes some getting used to. The English tend to water it down with a dash of pink; be bold and try it neat.

They're ordering their winter dresses in printed wool—the outstanding fabric success story of this season. Most of the prints are small and blurred and richly coloured, few of them floral, and the Italians, avoiding the temptation to cut them straight into summery-looking shirt-waisters, tailor them into neat short-sleeved dresses with no fuss in their design at all.

They're mad about twinsets and most of them are in boucle but I have yet to see an Italian girl actually wearing the cardigan of her twinset. It remains permanently draped over her shoulders.

They have thought up a new idea in twinsets: the paired-but-not-matched look—a pale violet sweater with a deep violet cardigan.

Save money

They still don't care about costume jewellery. Italian girls would sooner save the money on all those chokers and bangles and beads, and invest it in one small brooch or fine bracelet made of real gold. There is much to be said for their point of view.

Italian shoes this autumn are as news-making as ever. And since our shoe manufacturers, although they never quite catch up with Italian designers, are always running along close behind them, this means that what you should be seeing over here in two or three months' time is as follows:

Bitter chocolate is now an accepted substitute for black, with sandalwood a long way behind.

Favourite shoe shape is small-heeled, squared off slightly at the front and flattened out. They are light, unlined and



★ **SOCIAL CURIOSITY:** the glove that is cut down over the back so that you can offer your hand to a man to be kissed without the trouble of peeling off your glove. Sales are reported to be slow. Anyone surprised?

deliciously comfortable—and for her by one of Italy's marvellous little dressmakers. I quite often lace up. High totem heels are strictly for after-six.

Good mixer

One of the prettiest and most popular members of Roman High Society is young Donna Virginia Borghese, wife of Prince Francesco, who is herself half-English.

Tall, willowy, with the cloudy dark hair and blue eyes of an English beauty, she loves fashion and makes London and Rome with a practised hand.

FROM ROME she gets most of her dresses and suits—made

Let's Eat
BY
IDA BAILEY ALLEN

An Afternoon Tea Break Gives Housewife A Lift

"ALTHOUGH it's the end of the day, Madame, you look very rested," the Chef remarked. "Thanks, Chef," I replied. "It's partly because I've just spent a relaxing half-hour with my daughter-in-law, Clarice."

"An afternoon tea break is especially necessary during this season of the Christmas rush," I said as I poured the freshly brewed tea. "When I was a career gal, I found a ten or fifteen minute break at 3:30 meant the difference between inefficiency or an hour and a half more of good work. It's the same now that I'm a homemaker."

"If we home gals would only stop rushing and relax with a cup of tea before that late afternoon fatigue and irritability sets in, we could usually finish the day without a hassle with the children and not only prepare a good dinner for our husbands, but be rested-looking, cheerful dinner companions as well."

A festive box of Anise Slices Viennese makes a welcome Christmas remembrance. Slightly beat 6 eggs; set aside ¼ cupful.

turn the canned onions into a good-size skillet. Add 1 tsp.



YOU WON'T BE SO TIRED at the end of the day if you have an afternoon pick-up, such as hot tea, anise slices and raisin loaf.

To the beaten eggs, gradually add ½ c. sugar and beat well. Sift together 4 c. already-sifted enriched flour, 1 tsp. baking powder and ½ tsp. salt. Blend into the egg mixture.

Add 6 drops anise oil (sold at drug stores), and 1 c. melted butter or margarine. Work into the dough, knead until smooth and manageable. Shape into an oblong loaf 12" long, 5" wide and ¾" thick. Arrange in an oiled baking pan. Brush with the reserved beaten egg.

Bake in a moderate oven, 350° F. for 25 min., or until done. When well-cooled, cut into 1-in. slices. Toast in a slow oven until very light brown on both sides. Serve warm or cold.

These keep indefinitely in a



According to rumour, Queen Soraya and Sophia Loren have both worn dresses the first sketches for which were roughed out in a small convent outside Rome. But Schubert isn't saying.

—(London Express Service).

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JACOBY on BRIDGE

I HAVE received requests to show basic plays and accordingly will devote my Tuesday articles to this subject for a while.

Today's hand illustrates the play known as the obligatory finesse. South's four spade bid is a slight stretch but the play would be the same at any spade contract.

South ruffs the third club and wants to hold his trump losses to one trick if he can.

The odds are against him since he is missing the ace-jack-ten-nine and one more but things aren't hopeless. He simply leads a low spade toward dummy and puts up the king. Now he plays a second spade. West plays the jack or ten and South must play low.

Q—The bidding has been: South West North East

1♣ 4♥ 4♠ 5♣

What do you do?

A—Open two hearts. Game is not guaranteed but you don't want to find yourself playing one heart.

YOUR PARTNER'S QUESTION

Your partner responds two no-trump. What do you do now?

Answer Tomorrow

NORTH 8
♠ K32
♥ Q84
♦ K853
♣ 876

WEST 4♠ 9
♥ J972
♦ 762
♣ QJ109

EAST 4♠ 10
♥ 1053
♦ J94
♣ AK54

SOUTH (D)
♠ Q764
♥ AK6
♦ AQ10
♣ 32

Both vulnerable

South West North East

1♣ 4♥ 4♠ 5♣

Opening lead—♠ Q

This is the obligatory finesse. West is marked with the ace since East would have played it on the king if he had held it. Hence, the play of the queen can do South no good at all but the play of the low card can and does work wonders.

West's only spade is the ace. He has to play it and now South makes the rest of the tricks.

Of course, it is a guess as to which spade honour you lead towards in the first place. However, having nothing better to go on, most players would probably play West for the spade ace after East shows up with the ace and king of clubs.

CHILDREN'S CORNER

The Shadows Have Race

—Hoppy and Skippy Didn't Let Them Finish It—

By MAX TRELL

"GIDDAP," said Knarf, the Shadow—a boy with the Turned-About Name.

"Giddap," said Knarf's sister Hanid.

"Let's race to that lamp post at the end of the street," said Knarf.

"All right," replied Hanid. "Here we go, Giddap, Hoppy!"

"Giddap, Skippy!" shouted Knarf.

Off They Went

Then down the street went Knarf and Hanid toward the lamp post at the corner.

Knarf was on Skippy's back. Hanid was on Hoppy's back.

Hoppy and Skippy were two Grasshoppers. There is no more wonderful fun in the whole wide world than riding on the back of a trained Grasshopper!

But not everyone in this wonderful wide world can ride on the back of a Grasshopper.

Two Things

There are two things you must do to be able to ride on the back of a Grasshopper.

First, you must make yourself as small as a pin. Then you must catch a Grasshopper and

train it to carry you on its back in the same way that a horse must be trained to carry a cowboy on its back.

Knarf and Hanid, being Shadows (and not real children), had no trouble making themselves as small as pins. They had a good deal more trouble training Hoppy and Skippy.

Thrown To Ground

The first time Knarf and Hanid rode on the back of their Grasshoppers, they were thrown to the ground the second they got on the Grasshoppers' backs.

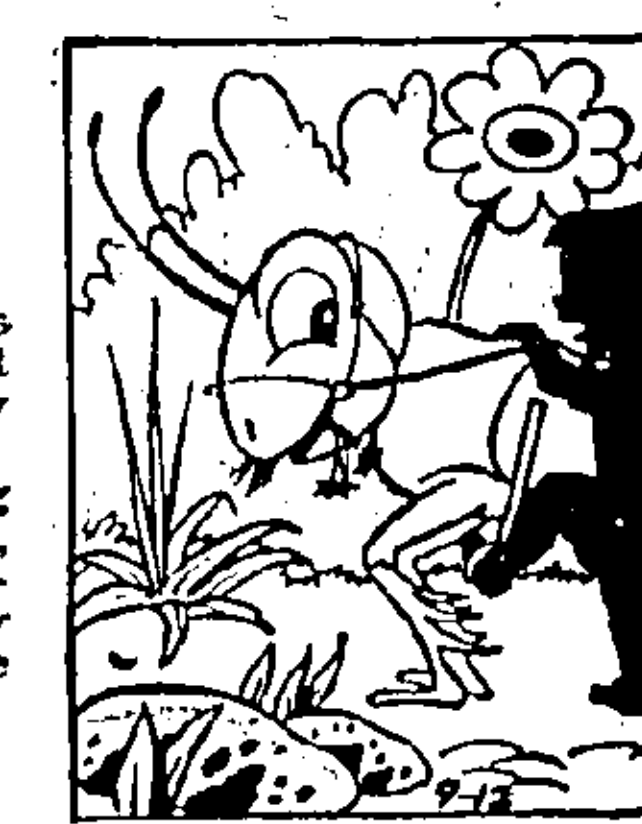
Hoppy and Skippy bucked and reared and pranced around after an hour or two, and after Knarf and Hanid had gently patted their heads and given them each a drop of honey, Hoppy and Skippy became as tame as kittens.

Raced Down Street

Down the street raced Knarf and Hanid, straight for the lamp post.

But just before they reached the lamp post, something happened!

This is what happened: A hungry Sparrow that had been watching the race from



What Hoppy Did

Instead of racing toward the lamp post, Hoppy sprang to one side, jumped over a bush, jumped over a fence, jumped over a garden and squeezed himself in a tiny crack at the bottom of a tree.

Hanid had hung on Hoppy's back the whole time except when Hoppy squeezed into the crack. Then she fell off!

Knarf Fell Off

Knarf had hung on the whole time except when Hoppy squeezed into the crack. Then Knarf fell off.

"But anyway," said Knarf later to Hanid, "neither of us won the race. Hoppy never got to the lamp post and neither did Skippy."

As for Skippy, he turned and

jumped the other way. He jumped over a pile of leaves, jumped over a clothes-line, jumped down the cellar steps of the nearest house and crawled under an old trunk at the back of the cellar.

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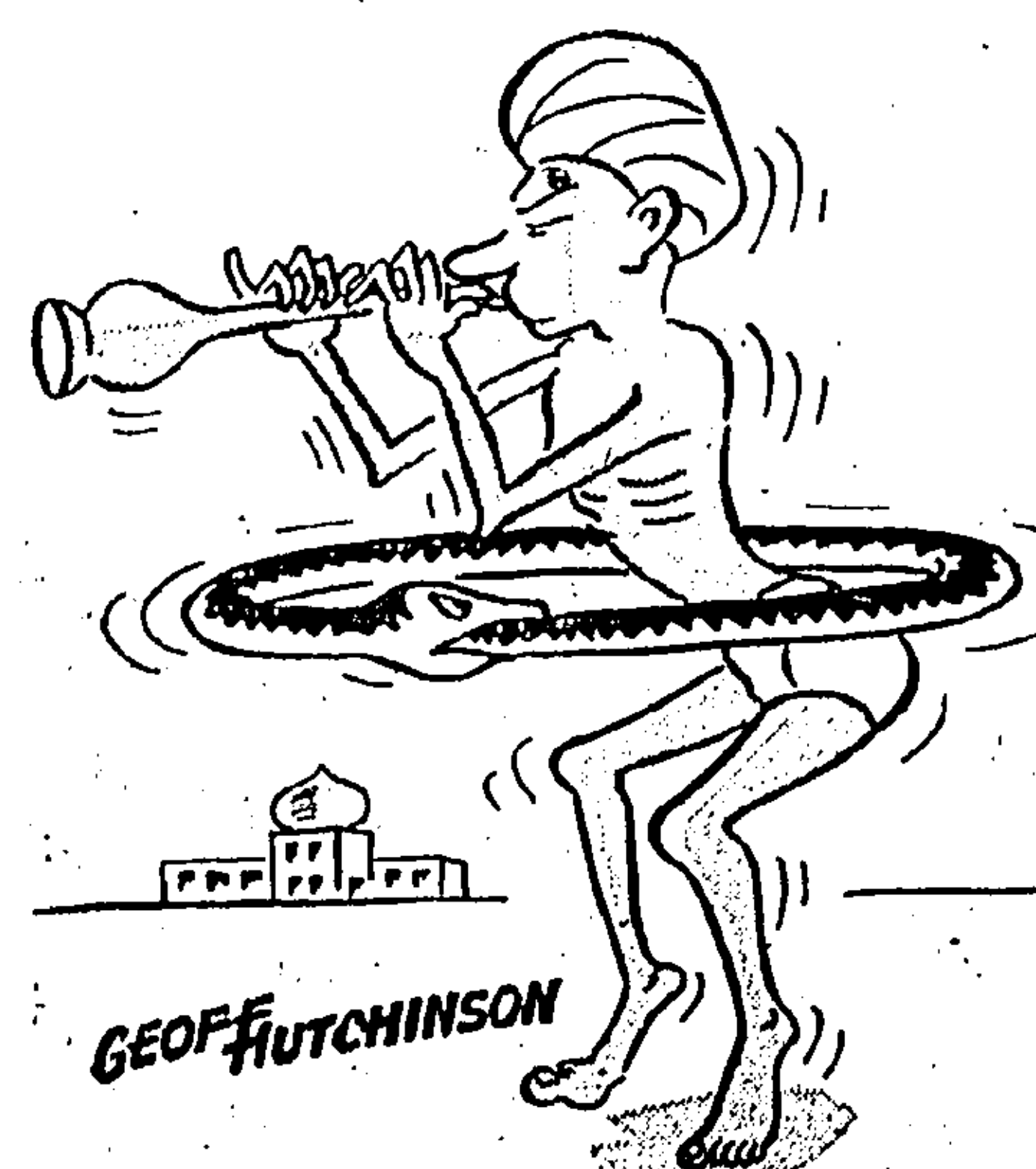
Hanid nodded. "Yes," she said, "but neither of them got eaten by the Sparrow, either! I'm glad we didn't finish the race."

Rupert and the Outlaws—56



Realising he is on the edge of a wood, Rupert decides to trot out into the open with the tracker pup to try to get his bearings. Hanid has left the shade of the trees when the animal stiffens, then bounds forward so violently that

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Accident At The Races



The opening day's races of the two-day Second Race Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club at Happy Valley last Saturday was marred by an accident in the main race of the afternoon, Riding Maytime, jockey H. K. (Chung) was heavily thrown to the ground after passing the winning post. He was taken to hospital and after being operated upon yesterday, was reported this afternoon to be improving.

Photo shows the scene immediately after his fall on Saturday. — China Mail photo.

Commonwealth Cricket XI Open Transvaal Tour With A Drawn Match

Johannesburg, Oct. 19.

Heavy rain and hail brought an early end to the opening match of their Transvaal cricket tour by Denis Compton's Commonwealth XI here today.

The Commonwealth side, set by Transvaal to make 241 runs in 116 minutes for victory, had scored 59 without loss when the rain came. The game was drawn.

The scores were: Transvaal—285 and 254 for seven; Commonwealth XI—299 and 59 for no wicket.

John Fellows-Smith, former Oxford University and Northamptonshire player, hit his second unbeaten century of the match for Transvaal, a performance which will win him a place in the South African side to tour England next year.

Not Out Centuries

Fellows-Smith, who made 100 not out in the first innings, was 102 not out in the second innings.

Too Inaccurate

The Commonwealth bowlers did not look particularly impressive. Frank Tyson, though taking four wickets for 53, was too inaccurate. The other pace bowler, Harold Rhodes, became more accurate as the match progressed. Brian Close did not gain enough assistance from the pitch to be really effective.

In the tourists' second innings, Australian Ian Craig maintained his sound form, of the first innings, while Roy Marshall, Hampshire's West Indian opener, showed touches of his brilliant aggressive batting.

Scoreboard

TRANSVAAL First Innings—285 Second Innings—59

D. Varnals c Evans b Simpson 24 F. Kinsey b Tyson 13 A. Taylor lbw Rhodes 13 G. Ritchie lbw Tyson 12 W. Patrick c Evans b Tyson 0 S. Ollin c Close b Rhodes 34 J. Fellows-Smith not out 102 K. Gibbs c Evans b Tyson 19 M. Macaulay not out 9 Extras 11 Total (for seven wickets) 254

Wicketfalls: 1-26, 2-81, 3-89, 4-91, 5-109, 6-187, 7-220.

Bowling

Rhodes 23 3 63 2 Tyson 19 1 53 4 Simpson 10 1 31 1

Today, his sturdy shoulders enabled him to punch two sixes and 12 fours during his stay of two hours 27 minutes.

Through 12 South Africans have hit a century in each innings in a first class match, Fellows-Smith is the first to do so without losing his wicket.

The only real support he had, came from Kent cricketer Sid Olin, who showed sound stroke play in scoring 34. Immediately Fellows-Smith reached three figures, Transvaal declared.

Callover On The Cambridgeshire

London, Oct. 19. Rocky Royale, remained favourite at eight to one at the Victoria Club callover here tonight on the Cambridgeshire Handicap, to be run over one mile one furlong, at Newmarket on Oct. 28.

There was little business done, but Thames Trader, Anthellon and Orthology were all backed to win £3,000. Thames Trader, a winner of Newmarket last Friday, nevertheless went out a point to 10 to one.

Faultless Speech and Macquario ousted Thames Trader as second favourite, both finishing at nine to one.

Prices were: 8-1 Rocky Royale; 9-1 Faultless Speech and Macquario; 10-1 Thames Trader; 100-1 Sanctum; 100-0 Whipsnade; 20-1 Falls of Shin, Major General and Rexequus; 22-1 Courts Appeal; 25-1 Fircroft, Guerillus and Marshal Pil; 25-1 Anthellon; 33-1 Admiral's Lake, Chino, Clarendon, Pete, Darlington, Kingsroy, King's Coup, Orthology, Pancha Cayan, Polar Way, Reprimand and Small Slam; 40-1 Calceolaria.—Reuter.

Wives Who Upset The Transfers

by Stanley Matthews

ONCE again a footballer's wife has upset the plans of a manager hoping to sign a star.

The transfer of Scottish international right back Eric Caldow to Manchester United fell down, apparently, because his wife wanted to live nearer her North-East home.

In recent years the footballer's wife has become the problem in the background.

Transferring her has become more tricky than fixing up the player. She has become the unknown quantity in almost every deal.

Should wives influence the playing careers of their footballer husbands? Football is a job like any other in civil life, and advancement in your profession must be the ruling factor.

Chances Lost

If a player can better himself by moving to another club, the wife should go along with him, even though there may be some disadvantages for her. I think many players have lost the chance of winning the Soccer stardom when they turned down a move because of objections by their wives.

What about my own case? My wife Betty has never tried to influence me on the many occasions when clubs have wanted me to move.

It was a wrench for her to leave all her friends at Stoke when I joined Blackpool, but she knew the move was in my best interests.

Naturally, I have told her everything about the offers made for me, but she has always left the decision to me.

And she comes to watch me play at most Blackpool home games.

—(London Express Service).

Ex-Wimbledon Champion And Karol Fageros Join Harlem Globetrotters

New York, Oct. 19.

Althea Gibson, former Wimbledon champion, today turned professional after negotiating a contract which will give her about \$100,000 (£35,700) for a spell of four months. Karol Fageros, of Florida, known as the "Glamour Girl" of lawn tennis, simultaneously announced that she had turned professional under a similar contract. She will receive about \$30,000 (£10,710) for the same period.

Both girls will begin a 60-city tour of the United States, starting on December 29. They will travel with the Harlem Globetrotters Negro Basketball team, and will play each other in exhibition matches as curtain-raisers to the basketball games.

Record Fee

Miss Gibson's fee is believed to be the highest paid to an amateur player to turn professional. At the rate of more than \$1,000 a match over 16 weeks, it is more than even male professional Lew Hoad and Pancho Gonzalez receive in the Jack Kramer circuit.

The 32-year-old New York Negroes won the Wimbledon

singles title in 1957 and 1958. After retaining the United States title in 1958 she retired temporarily from tennis to promote her autobiography and a singing career.

She returned to competition briefly this season to win the women's singles in the Pan-American Games in Chicago.

Miss Fageros, a 24-year-old blonde, took a new fashion to the city of Couture last year when she wore gold panties during the French championship in Paris.—Reuter.

Wright Misses A Sitter

Shorthorn, Oct. 19. Billy Wright, the biggest star of British soccer, was to open a building exhibition yesterday by kicking a soccer ball through a paper door from four yards away.

Wright, a 20-year veteran at kicking soccer balls, wound up and booted the ball lustily. He missed the door completely.—UPI.

Two Russian Entries For Washington Horse Race

Laurel, Oct. 19. The Soviet Union today entered two of its four year-olds for the eighth running of the Laurel Park Washington International horse race on November 11.

The Soviet starters are Garnir and Flang.

This brings the total entries for the \$100,000 International classic to eleven.

Garnir, winner of the 1958 Soviet Derby finished sixth at Laurel Park and its stablemate Zuryad trailed to last place after a bad start.

The Soviet horses, their jockeys and their trainers are scheduled to arrive in the United States on October 28.

With the withdrawal of Japan's leg-injured Kuripero the field is now:

Round Table and Bald Eagle (United States), Garnir and Flang (Soviet Union), Primera and Nagami (Britain), Midnight Sun and Mi Carina (France), Up and Coming (New Zealand), Vogel (Australia) and Leab (Mexico).—AFP.

Soccer Results

London, Oct. 19. Following are the results of today's soccer matches:

English League

Division III

Newport 4 Port Vale 3

Friendly Matches

Aston Villa 2 Rapid (Vienna) 1 Burnley 5 British Amateurs 0 —AFP & Reuter.

France, Yugoslavia Share Honours At Beirut Games

Beirut, Oct. 19.

France and Yugoslavia won all the gold medals for events contested here today in the third Mediterranean Games.

The French won the hop, step and jump and 10,000 metres athletics events and the team sabre fencing event, while Yugoslavia took the prone position carbine shooting and the hammer throw.

France's Battista broke his own games record of 14.93 metres which he set in the second Games at Barcelona by winning the hop, step and jump final with 15.82 metres.

Compatriot Marc Rabemila took the silver medal with 15.47 metres and Mahmoud Abdel Fata of the United Arab Republic got the bronze with 15.4 metres.

Hamoud Amour, running his first 10,000 metres race won it in 30 minutes 19.2 seconds over Sal Ben Moha Guermai of Morocco who clocked 30 mins 22.3 secs. Spain's Garcia Luis was third in 30 mins 24.3 secs.

In the sixth and last fencing event of the games, the team sabre, France won its fifth gold medal in the sport, filling only in the individual foil. The French sabre fencers beat Spain nine wins to three in the final round. Spain finished second and the UAR third.—AFP.

Air India

Rome, sweet Rome—what food...

LAWN BOWLS CHAMPIONS



C. K. Sung and Mrs Irene Silva of Caigengower Cricket Club were crowned the first champions of the Colony Open Mixed Pairs lawn bowls championships last Saturday when they beat Mr and Mrs W. Riley by 20-18 in the final at Club de Recreio. The event was only started this year.

Photo shows the happy champions. — China Mail photo.

CUS D'AMATO TO DEFEND AGAINST REVOCATION OF HIS LICENCE

New York, Oct. 19.

Fight-manager Cus D'Amato broke his six-week silence tonight and announced he will gladly defend himself at a hearing before the New York State Athletic Commission, to prevent revocation of his licence.

D'Amato, manager of former heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson, was suspended on Sept. 14 for his failure to appear at the Commission's general hearing about the promotion of the June 26 title fight between Patterson and Ingemar Johansson of Sweden.

Found Guilty

Last week the Commission voted him guilty of misconduct in connection with the fight-promotion. James P. Fuscac, Commission counsel, is now drawing up charges against him, and Cus has been ordered to show cause why his licence should not be revoked.

Edwin Stephen Schwegel and Julius November, D'Amato's attorneys, notified the Commission today that he will "show cause" at a hearing. The commission will serve D'Amato with the charges some time this week and set a date for the hearing.

Should D'Amato refuse the charges at the hearing and be reinstated as Patterson's manager in New York state, he would be able to pilot Patterson in next year's return title bout with Johansson—in New York city.

However, should his licence be revoked, the return fight doubtlessly would be held outside New York state. Patterson has told friends he will not fight without D'Amato in his corner.

He denied: That he ever knew or communicated with mobsters Frankie Carbo and Tony Salerno, or gamblers Gilbert Beckley and Frank Erickson, "nor with any other persons of similar character or reputation."

Nothing 'Sinister'

That he has or had any financial interest in Rosensohn Enterprises, Inc., which promoted the June fight.

That he deliberately stayed away from Commission hearings during the six weeks he was absent from New York while seeking a training camp in Cuba.

That there was anything "sinister" about his having attempted to have Harry David of Brooklyn serve as American manager for Johansson, although the Commission handled the matter in "such a sensational and most injudicious way" that it made D'Amato apprehensive about receiving fair treatment at hearings.

That he made any deal where he was to receive any remuneration from David or any other manager of a challenger, since he was merely trying to safeguard return title matches through those managers.

Voluntary Witness

There is anything immoral, illegal or unethical about the Floyd Patterson Enterprises, Ltd., or about its joint television venture with Telepromer Corp.—a venture which had been submitted to the commission and other "pertinent governmental agencies."

In addition to the denials, D'Amato confirmed today's Washington announcement that he would appear as a voluntary witness at hearings before the Senate's Kefauver boxing committee early next year. The committee will decide whether to recommend Federal control of the fight game, to replace current State control.

Challengers For Empire Boxing Titles Nominated

London, Oct. 19.

Nigeria's former world champion Hogan "Kid" Basse was designated as one of four challengers for the British Empire featherweight title by the Empire championships committee of the British Boxing Board of Control today.

The champion is Trinidad's Percy Lewis whom Basse has beaten twice.

Following is the complete list of Empire champions and challengers released by the committee:

Flyweight: Champion—Denis Adams (South Africa). Challengers—Frankie Jones (Australia), Sexton Mabena and Bernie Taylor (South Africa).

Featherweight: Champion—Percy Lewis (Trinidad). Challengers—Hogan "Kid" Basse and Ratu King (Nigeria).

Bantamweight: Champion—Freddie Gilroy (Britain). Challengers—Johnny Barrett (Australia), Sexton Mabena and Bernie Taylor (South Africa).

Lightweight: Champion—Dave Charnley (Britain). Challengers—George Bracken (Australia), Richie Howard (Canada), and Ludwig Lightburn (West Indies).

Welterweight: Champion—Georges Burnes (Australia). Challengers—Gale Kerwin (Canada), Johnny Van Rensburg, Willie Towell and Philimon Tshabala (South Africa).

Middleweight: Champion—Dick Tiger (Nigeria). Challengers—Terry Downes or John McCosmack (Britain) who will meet soon for the British title, Yania Bahama (Bahama Islands) and Willie Greaves (Canada).

Light Heavyweight: Champion—Yvon Durelle (Canada). Challengers—Johnny Heafthi (Tonga) and Mike Holt (South Africa).

Heavyweight: Champion—Henry Cooper (Britain). Challengers—George Chuvalo (Canada), Joe Byrnes (Jamaica) and Joe Brackley (Britain).—AFP.

THE GAMBOLS

By Barry Appleby



on the ball

with Tom Finney

IF THE WELSH STAYED HOME—WHAT A TEAM THEY'D MAKE!

I was a long, long way from Ninian Park, Cardiff, last Saturday afternoon (October 17), but already I could picture the scene... the leeks, the singing of "Land of my Fathers" and "Sospas Fach," the packed stands and the Gallic fervour.

As soon as the crowd caught sight of the red jerseys of Wales coming out of the tunnel, the dams would break and no player who has ever received that welcoming roar is likely to forget.

To eight of last Saturday's Welsh team, this would be a welcome home. For Wales has become a breeding ground for the clubs of the English League.

Since the war, there has been a steady stream of talent coming from the west. The Welsh stars have become exiles from their native land. This I am sure is one of the reasons why Wales, despite its footballing glories, has yet to play a really dominant role in world football.

Glitter

It has had some great moments, but they are usually short-lived and leave a sense of frustration behind them.

Wales desperately needs a club powerful enough to keep her talent at home. The rise of Swansea, Cardiff or Newport might well transform Welsh football. Her rugby side gained its strength by being founded on one or two clubs and the same could apply to her soccer fortunes.

Just imagine the glitter of a club like Swansea. If it had been able to keep top-flighters such as Mel and John Charles, Jack Kilsen, Ivor Allchurch, Terry Medwin, Cliff Jones and Trevor Ford. What a wonderful basis on which to build a national side.

It always seems a little ironical that most of these players left Wales so that they could play in a higher grade of football whereas if they had all stayed they would have probably been members of one of the strongest club sides in Europe.

Biggest loss to Wales, of course, was that of John Charles. Under the Juventus banner, John seemed to be playing fewer and fewer games for his country.

No side can afford to lose him, for he is a match-winner in any company.

But perhaps the most striking feature of modern-day Welsh football is that, despite the continual drift into the English League, the flow of talent keeps on coming.

Battle Of Exiles

The teenage Cardiff centre-forward Graham Moore is already being described as a successor in the Ford. Charles has of great leaders. I am told that he is fast and elusive with a real flair for spotting the weak links in rival defences.

Already several English clubs are interested in him and Ninian Park fans must be wondering whether this is one more player they will be losing.

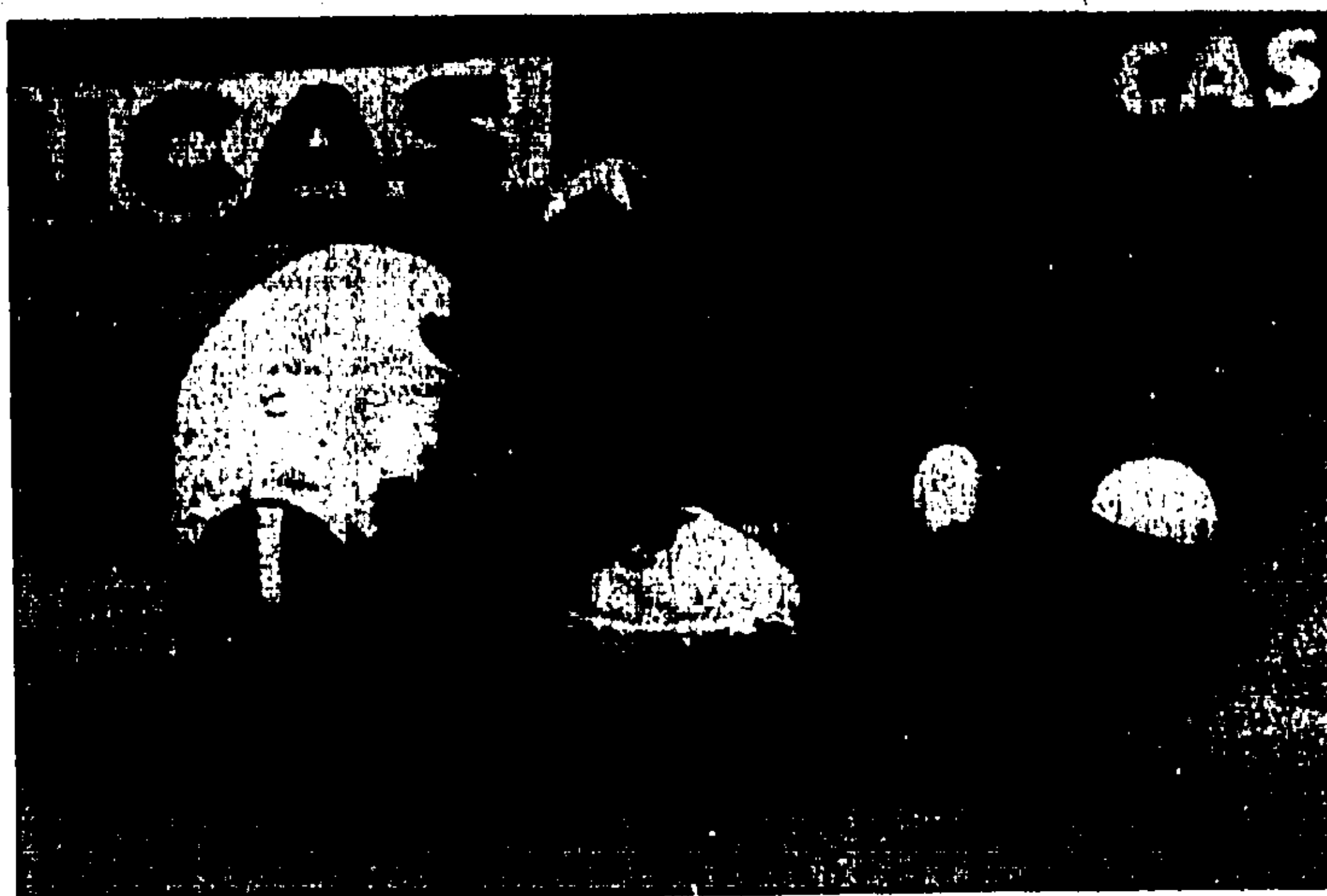
The other new arrival, being hailed by the Welsh as Swansea centre-half Mel Church. Inevitably it seems that each fresh candidate for stardom is compared to John Charles, but there is good reason here.

They look alike... Mel is a husky six-footer... went to the same school... both captained the Welsh Youth team. Joined the same club and were close friends. Not unnaturally Mel, who is the younger of the two, based his game on that of Big John.

The problems of the Welsh are, of course, shared by the Scots and the Irish. In fact it's almost a rarity nowadays for an Irish League player to appear in the national side. Even the glamour of Scottish clubs such as Rangers and Celtic seem unable to offset the financial advantages of English football and more and more of their internationals seem to be heading south.

Is this inevitable? And will battles between the home countries eventually be waged entirely between exiles from the English League? There is a very real possibility that lack of finances could one day bring this about, but for the sake of international football I hope not.

GETTING INTO THE SWING



Florin Camathias, of Switzerland, the Continent's top "chair" driver, swings round a bend at Branda Hatch, Kent track on a 492 BMW, while his passenger, H. Cecco, leans out to keep the balance, in the Three-Wheeler scratch race up to 1,200cc last week. Camathias came second, beaten by W. G. Boddien (passenger W. Canning) riding a 499 Norton/Wats. — Reuterphoto.

I still believe that if Cardiff rises again, we will see the high promise of Welsh soccer fulfilled.

OFF THE CUFF

Don't be surprised if Arsenal goalkeeper JACK KELSEY eventually returns to his native Swansea.

Middlesbrough and England centre-forward BRIAN CLOUGH is one young player with no wish to buy a car. He is worried that it would make him lazy.

I hear that Bolton are looking for a top-flight centre-forward to understudy their famous leader NAT LOFTHOUSE.

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FAMOUS SPORTS STARS

I HAVE MET

By ARCHIE QUICK

It is a long haul from a coffee house in Oxford's High Street to the House of Commons, but Chris Chataway has made it in record time—as one would expect from such a runner!

I first met the flame-headed Chris when he was Secretary of the Oxford University Athletic Union, a post which called upon him to make the catering arrangements after the Varsity-AAA match at Iffley Road. So it was in a tear-room up an alley off Oxford's picturesque "High" that I originally came into contact with this cheerful character. So contrasting was the staid, thoughtful President of the

OFAU, but in a short year or two on the same Iffley Road track he and Chataway were destined to make world athletic history.

Four-Minute Mile

For he was none other than Roger Bannister, who, with the help of Chris and two other Dark Blues, crashed through the barrier of the Four Minute Mile—the Everest of athletic achievement which made global front page news.

Before that, however, Chris had to do his National Service, and he did it in the Gunners. On a rain-soaked track at Aldershot, as an RA second lieutenant, he won the Army mile championship in record time, and later, mud-bespattered at Uxbridge, he set up new figures for the Inter-Services mile.

His first venture into commerce was with a stout brewery, but, with politics as his goal, he soon drifted into a new vocation—Television commentating—and made a roaring success of it.

He travelled the world getting facts and interviews, and I often wonder if, when he visited the Sudan, he thought back upon the first steps he took upon the athletic ladder of fame in Khartoum. For it was there, where his father was stationed, that he began training in earnest for distance races by encircling Gordon Square.

No Cross-Bencher

Now he is in the House of Commons as Conservative Member of Parliament for the London Borough of North Lewisham where he turned a Labour majority of 1,110 at the 1957 by-election into a Tory gain with a majority of 4,613.

Educated at Sherborne and Magdalen he is still only 28 years old—so there may be more records still ahead for him. I cannot imagine him being content to be a cross-bencher and just one more vote in the Divisions. He has imprinted his lively personality into everything he has attempted, so there should be more words for him to conquer. First Minister of Sport?

Surrey Draw With Rhodesia

Bulawayo, Oct. 19. An opening stand of 232 in 330 minutes by Dave Fletcher and John Edrich earned Surrey a creditable draw against Rhodesia on the final day of their three-day game here today. Replying to Rhodesia's first innings total of 321, the English county side, dismissed for 75 in the first innings, took their overnight total of 124 for no wicket to 350 all out today. Lett 30 minutes in which to score 135 for victory, Rhodesia had made 63 for three when play ended—China Mail Special.

Tony Fat's Boxing Bandits Face The Clean-Up K.O.

By DESMOND HACKETT

The New York State Athletic Commission has issued the latest blast in their gang-busting boxing probe when they ordered Cus D'Amato to show cause why he should not be sacked from the fight game.

Gravel-voiced, gabby D'Amato, manager of ex-world heavyweight champion Floyd Patterson, faces charges of misconduct along with Rosenzohn Enterprises, Inc. and William Rosenzohn who promoted the Patterson-Ingemar Johansson fight in New York last June. The three are demanded to show cause why their licences should not be revoked.

As the commission reluctantly unfolded its report we got a horrible story that makes gangster novels and TV horror shows kid stuff. It only for juvenile consumption.

The commission, in tough terms, criticised the part in the promotion played by Tony Salerno, the man the commission described as "a widely known racketeer and underworld figure."

This was the mysterious Mr X who was the gun law behind the championship battle. This is the flabby-jawed, cold-eyed little barrel-shaped citizen who is No. 4817958 in the Federal dossier on gangsters.

This ruthless, thin-lipped, top mobster rose to be bossman from the ranks of the notorious 102nd Street gang from East Harlem.

Sensitive

His ever-loving buddies stepped from the Debrett of Sing Sing and Alcatraz.

They included Frankie Carbo, whose dark record includes more than one indictment for murder, "Trigger" Mike Coppola, Jimmy "Blue Eyes" Alo and hoodlums like Joe Massey and Joe "Scarface" Bonmarito who are rated villains even in the skulduggery of rogues.

As the commission dug deeper into this cesspit of boxing banditry, arrests were made of Carbo, his servile sidekick Blinsky Palermo, a strong-arm man Joe Sica, and Lou Dragna, top man—or should it be low man—in underworld Los Angeles.

But no one has yet caught up with Mr X, Salerno, who is known as Tony Fat by any-

body out of Salerno's hearing distance. Tony is sensitive about his 5ft 6in which expand over 17st.

Last week's report puts the finger on Charles Antonucci. He has been banned from all boxing, right down to attending fights. This was the little old man I knew as Charley Black. He beamed through his thick-rimmed glasses, never removed his broad-brimmed grey trilby as he moved amiably around the fight parishes of America.

Cheerful

He could afford to be cheerful Charley Black, because anywhere there was fight cash you would find his paddy hands deep in the box-office.

There is a gangster, a gun, a beating-up, or a mob take-over in almost every other paragraph in the 3,000 solemn words issued by the State Athletic Commission.

The probe goes on. There will be State legislature to control licensees to operate in the gold rush regions of cinema, television, and coast-to-coast commercial television.

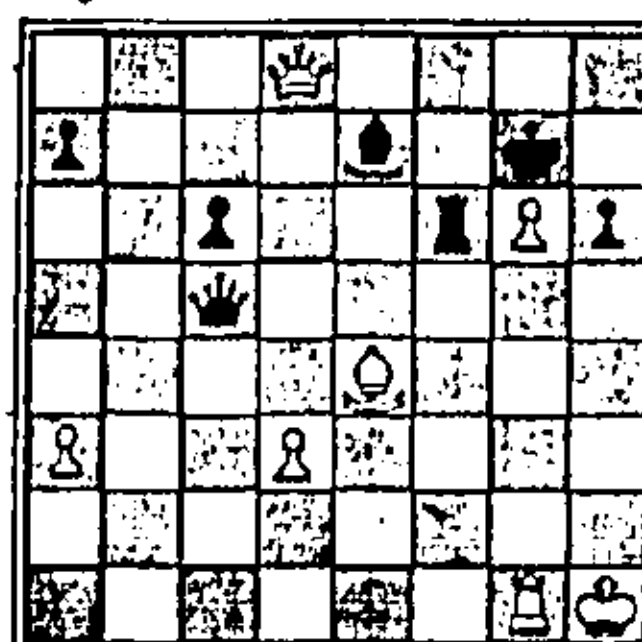
This is where the gangsters battle for the million-dollar pickings which go with every big fight.

Respectable citizens and sports heroes have been produced as front men. Now it looks as though the police will land a knock-out against these fight racketeers.

But there is still a bloody and rugged battle ahead. I know these gadding gangsters too well to be kidding they will soft-shoe out of the trade and leave it whiter than white. —(London Express Service).

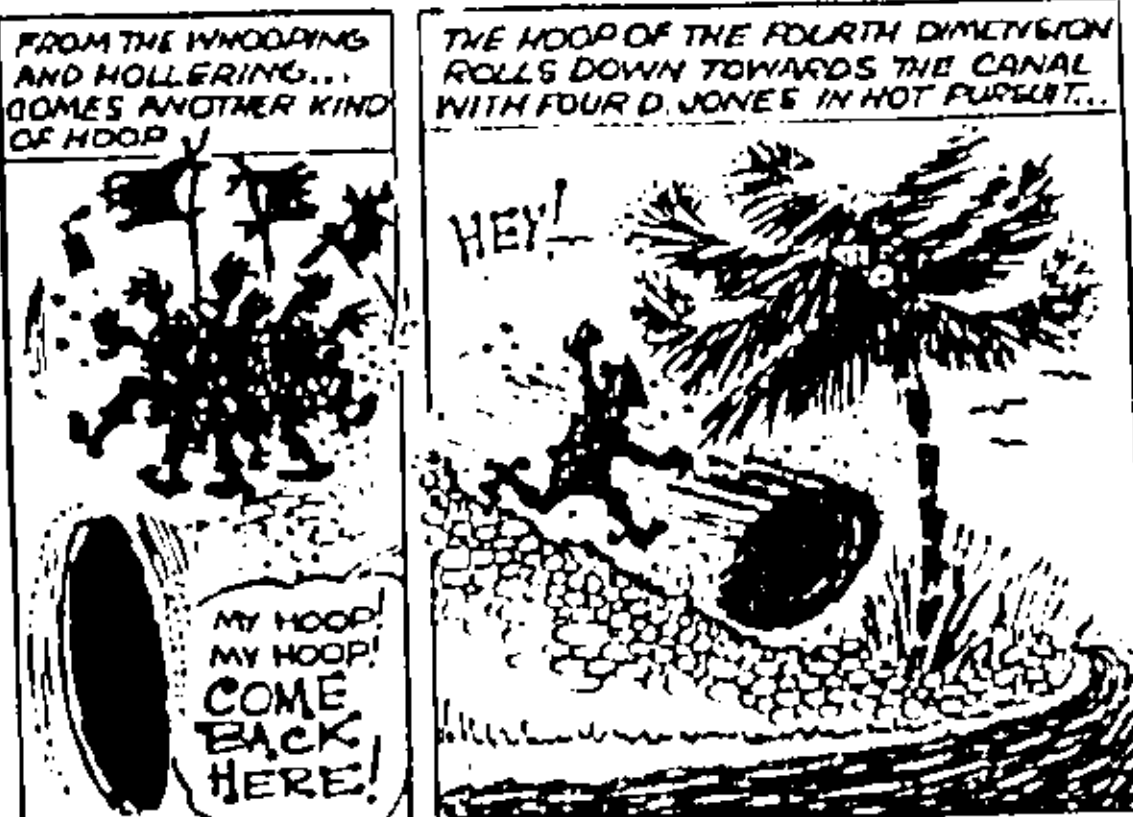
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By LEONARD BARDEN



Here is a position from actual play; White to move and win! —(London Express Service).

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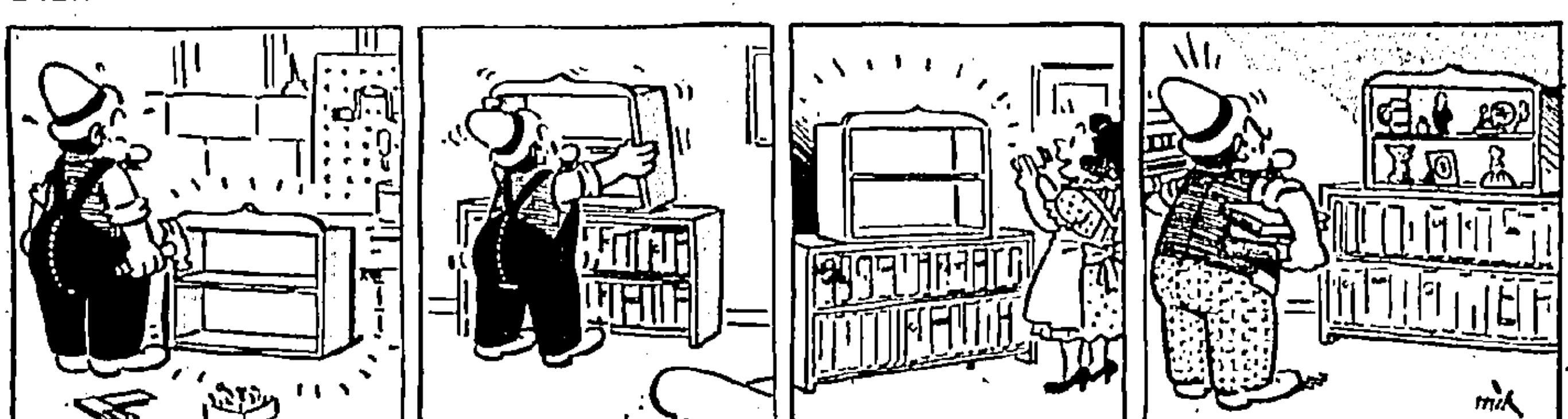


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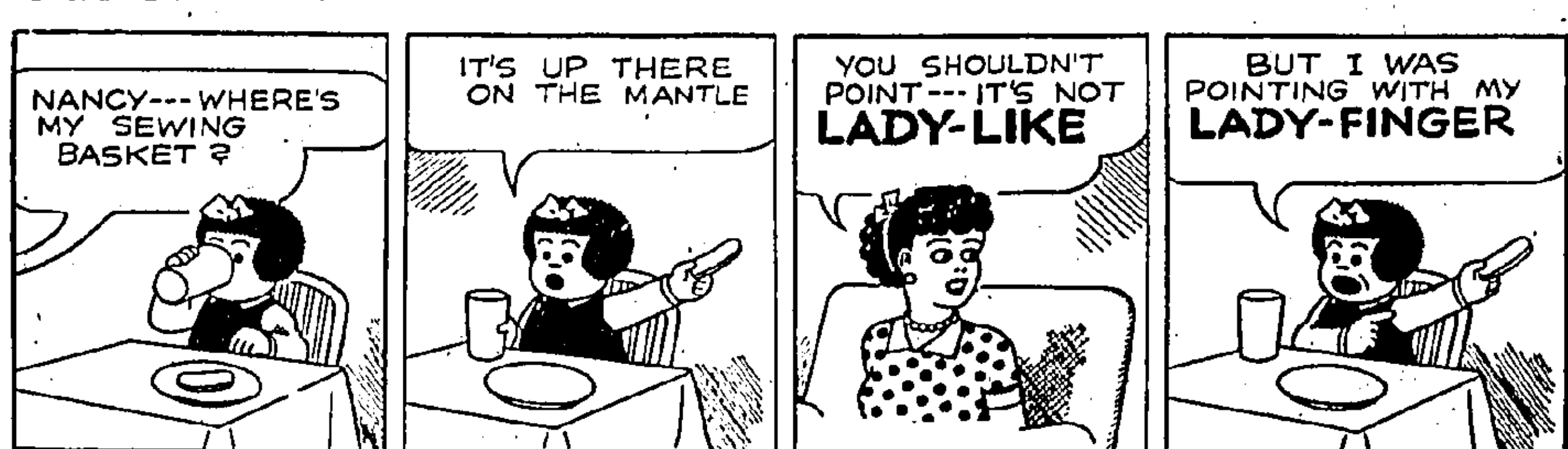
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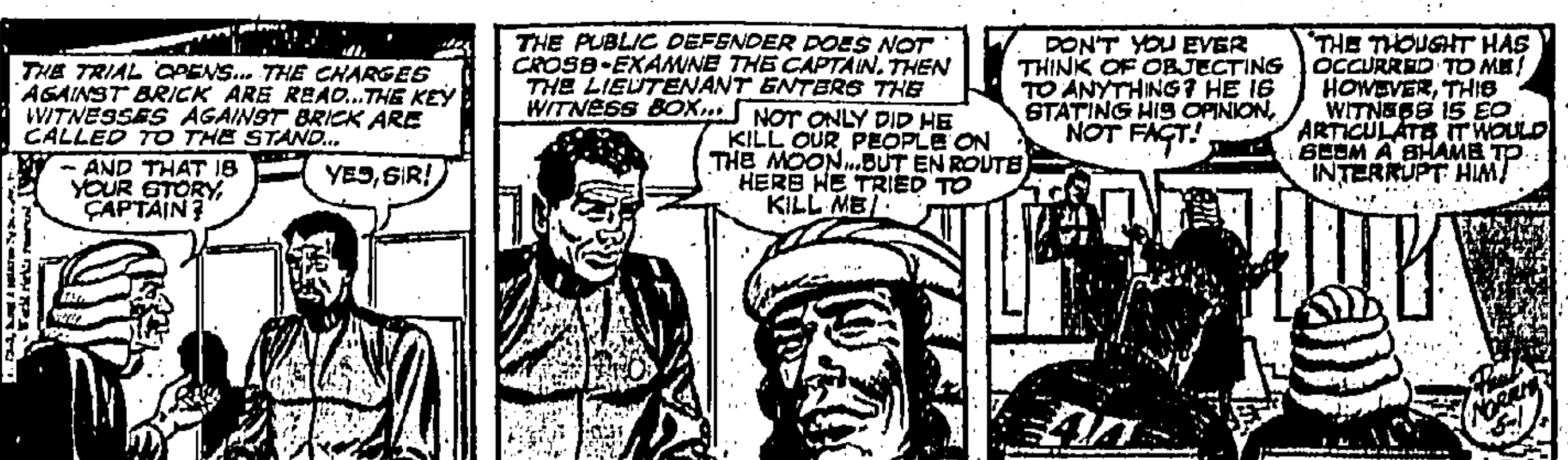
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REMEDIOS—To Raquel and Jorge, on 20th October, 1959, at Kowloon Hospital, God's gift of a son, Jaime, Jesusa Vicente. Mother and child well.

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SPOT'S PIMPLES? "SKANKEL" conceals as it heals. Get a handy tube today! Two sizes available from leading Dispensaries and Stores.

NOTICE

THE HONGKONG AND YAU MATI FERRY CO., LIMITED.

Notice is hereby given that an Interim Dividend of Three Dollars per share on the Company's issued Capital has been declared in respect of the year ending 31st December, 1959.

Dividend Warrants will be available for collection at the Registered Office of the Company, 144-148 Des Voeux Road, Central, 1st floor, Hong Kong, or will be dealt with in accordance with standing instructions, on and after Tuesday, the 20th October, 1959.

Notice is also given that the Share Register of the Company will be closed from Monday, the 12th October to Tuesday, the 20th October, 1959 both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board
LAU CHAN KWOK
Managing Director.

Hong Kong, 18th September, 1959.

NOTICE

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Notice to Shareholders

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Interim Dividend of 2s. 6d. per share has been declared on account of the year 1959.

This Dividend is payable on or after 21st November 1959 to Shareholders registered in the Society's books on 3rd November 1959.

The SHARE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Society will be closed from 3rd November to 14th November 1959 both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
J. DICKSON LEACH,
General Manager.
Hongkong, Sept. 24, 1959.

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EMBARKATION: Passengers should embark between 2.30 and 4.00 p.m. on 23rd October, 1959.

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(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION)

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THE BANK OF EAST ASIA LIMITED

Notice to Shareholders

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that an Extraordinary General Meeting of the above Company will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 10, Des Voeux Road Central, Hong Kong at 12.00 o'clock noon of the 14th November, 1959 (Saturday) for the purpose of considering and, if thought fit, passing the following Resolution:—

"That it is desirable to capitalise a sum of Ten million dollars being part of the undivided profits of the Company standing to the credit of the Company's Reserve Fund, and accordingly that a bonus of \$100.—per share on the 100,000 issued shares of the Company be and the same is hereby declared, and that the Directors be and they are hereby authorised to satisfy such 100,000 shares of the Company credited as fully paid up amongst the persons who, on the 14th day of November, 1959 are registered as holders of the 100,000 issued shares of the Company, at the rate of one share for every one share of the Company held by such persons as aforesaid and in satisfaction of such bonus as aforesaid, and the shares so distributed shall be treated for all purposes as an increase of the nominal amount of the capital of the Company, held by each such shareholder and not as income; and further that such new shares shall as from 1st day of January 1960 rank for dividend (but not so as to entitle them to participate in any dividend declared in respect of the year ending 31st December 1959) and in all other respects PARI PASSU with the already issued shares."

AND NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN that the Register of Shareholders will be closed from Monday, the 2nd day of November 1959 to Saturday, the 14th day of November 1959, both days inclusive.

Dated Hong Kong, this 17th day of October, 1959.

By Order of the Board of Directors
KAN TONG PO
Chief Manager

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World's Best Road System Built On Private Capital

Americans have the finest road system in the world for one reason only—they are prepared to pay for it. The amount they spend is staggering. President Eisenhower has just signed a Bill raising the Federal tax on petrol by one cent (just under a penny).

This will provide enough money to construct 41,000 miles of four, six and eight lane highways right across America.

This Federal road project alone is more than 600 times the size of Britain's London to Birmingham motorway. Add to this the great and growing network of State highways and toll-paying expressways.

Toll-roads are among the best in America—and they result from the typical American attitude: "If the Government won't build the roads, we'll build them ourselves."

But this money will be used to construct and maintain highways. The American motorist knows it. That's why he is happy to pay his tolls and his taxes.

BABIES for adoption changed hands for up to 2,000 dollars (\$715) down payment, said New York police recently after rounding up a "gambling and black market baby ring."

Twenty-one men and six women were arrested in one swoop.

A MAN was stopped by a stranger in the dusty main street of Lillingdon, North Carolina.

"I'm looking for Percy Barnard," said the stranger.

"I'm Percy Barnard," was the reply.

Recognition slowly dawned in the stranger's eyes. "I'm brother Clarence," he said.

It was the brothers' first meeting for 41 years.

A NEGRO Evangelist, Roscoe Simpson, pulled a gun, not a prayer book, when police tried to arrest him in Milwaukee.

He shot and wounded a policeman before he fell dead under police bullets. His last words were: "I'm from the Gospel."

Police believe he murdered a Milwaukee housewife.

A TIME-CHECK survey in U.S. department stores has yielded this information: a woman takes seven minutes to buy what a man buys in one minute.

UP comes "My Fair Lady" for its 1,500th Broadway performance. But producer Herbert Levin doesn't want any



corner of the excavation, covered it with paper, and lit it. The E-X-P-L-O-S-I-O-N blew in every window for a hundred yards around.

A baby-sitter in a nearby flat was disturbed in the back by a shower of glass. And 16 other people were injured.

Poor Giuseppe was interrogated. He had not been able to read the dynamite instructions (which were in English). And he could not hear very well because both his eardrums were punctured.

TWO union leaders face a maximum sentence of 20 years in jail, following a charge that they extorted 20,000 dollars (£7,140) from the Hearst Publishing Company, Inc.

The men are Harold Gross, a local president in the racket-ridden Teamsters' Union, and Cornelius J. Noonan, of the recently cleaned up International Longshoremen's Association.

The Hearst company is said to have paid over the money at its New Jersey printing plant to avoid union troubles, and the sum was marked off as "organisational expenses."

FOR 49 cents (1s. 6d.) a New Orleans sex store provides lunch in five gulps. Menu: one hamburger, one glass of milk, one vitamin tablet.

BAD NEWS in the succulent bi-valve department: Starfish and other pests have made such inroads on American oyster beds that the supply has dropped 40 per cent in 20 years.

THE LORRY DRIVER said to the policeman: "I just seen a dame who ain't got a dame's legs—too hefty and hairy."

Afterwards racket-breaker Gerald Wilson got so fed up floundering around town disguised in spike-heeled shoes and skirt that he presented himself at Lancaster, Pennsylvania, prison gates and asked to be let in again.

BANNERS blazed "Rockefeller for President!" at Manchester, New Hampshire, this weekend.

And New York's Governor Nelson D. Rockefeller, smiling and handsome, said: "Hi, hi, hi! I am not in a position now to respond either positively or negatively."

DRIVING with a hangover is as bad as driving while drunk, claims Dr. Herman Hulse, of the American Medical Association.

New Anti-Drink Drive Gains Strength In U.S.

A move to reintroduce prohibition is gaining strength in the United States.

Survey figures released this week show that the fight against alcoholism has never been more intensive.

The campaign has been boosted by a Government report disclosing that the number of alcoholics is growing at the rate of 200,000 a year.

The report was prepared by the Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, Mr. A. Fleming.

He says there are already about five million alcoholics in the U.S. and that millions more are on the verge of alcoholism.

Temperance societies are planning rallies in such public places as Times Square, New York, and the Hollywood Bowl.

Alcoholics Anonymous is planning to open another 120 branches within the next 12 months and another organisation known as "Drink Busters" is flourishing.

The "Drink Busters" work in teams consisting of a doctor, a psychiatrist, and an ex-drunk.

They hold outdoor meetings in areas where there are many saloons.

The doctor explains how liquor causes bodily damage, the psychiatrist tells of mental damage, and the ex-drunk tells how good it feels to be released from alcoholism.

Behind them flies a slogan: "We're not against drinking—just against too much of it."

Industry, too, has joined the fight. Scores of firms have appointed "alcohol counsellors" to their medical staffs.

"WE FIRED" One vice-president told a conference of industrial welfare officials in New York this week: "At one time our cure for alcoholism was to fire the offender."

"Now we're beginning to realise that by doing that we're losing valuable men."

"Even if we spend heavily in giving therapy to those heavy drinkers, it's an investment—for ourselves and the tipplers."

Most police departments are trying to help drunks.

In Fairfield, Michigan, for example, a man who feels he is not sober enough to drive may call the police department and request an "officer chauffeur."

"It won't be held against him," says a police official. "But at the same time we'll take his name and address and put him on a mailing list for anti-drink literature."

Hints for the sensitive "MUSIC-LOVERS," writes an enthusiastic critic, "will wish that this record could go on for ever." One way to avert this catastrophe and to scatter the devotees to the four corners of the record is to put a pancake for the record.

See how the morsels fly in every direction. Another trick is to light a fire of damp twigs on the floor and let the smoke do its work.

(London Express Service).

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METROPOLITAN & JETZ: "Around the World in 80 Days," starring David Niven, Cantinflas and Robert Newton.

ORIENTAL: "The Angry Hills," starring Robert Montgomery and Elizabeth Taylor.

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PARAMOUNT: Glencarlo and his Italian Combo. Floor shows by Gino Brox and Myrna, famous T.V. radio and stage comedians. Cock-tail Lounge, Larry Allen at the Piano Bar.

MAXIMS: Music by Franco Trombetta and his Italian Combo.

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STRONG LONDON MARKET

London Closes Firm

London, Oct. 19. Stocks held on good volume today in the face of profit-taking.

Highlighting the session was continued strength in gilt-edged which moved up as much as 11/16.

Industrial stocks showed general gains and closing prices in most cases were the best of the day. Steels, engineering shares, electrical equipments, tobacco, breweries, newspapers, textiles and stores all showed good gains. Oils were in demand.

Coppers and other base metals were firm.

Greece issues held firm in a quiet foreign bond market.

Dollar stocks improved.

The London Financials common stock index rose to an all-time high.

Bank and insurance shares were generally firm.

Gold shares were selectively bought but it was finance issues which attracted most interest.

Rubbers displayed marked firmness.—UPI.

Closing Prices

Gilt-edged Bonds	
British Treasury 3 1/2, 1978/88	102 1/2
Consols 2 1/2, 1951/51	102 1/2
Consols 4 1/2, 1951/51	102 1/2
Conversion Loan 3 1/2, 1960/70	102 1/2
2 1/2, 1960/70	102 1/2
Funding Loan 3 1/2, 1959/69	102 1/2
2 1/2, 1959/69	102 1/2
Funding Loan 4 1/2, 1960/70	102 1/2
2 1/2, 1960/70	102 1/2
Savings 3 1/2, 1952/52	102 1/2
Savings 4 1/2, 1952/52	102 1/2
Barclays Bank "A" Ltd ord—59 1/2	
Chartered Bank—59 1/2	
Hongkong & Shanghai—59 1/2	
Insurance	
Union Assurance Canton—53 1/2	
British Motor Corp. Ord—21 1/2	
British Motor Corp. 20s—21 1/2	
Diapers Co—22 1/2	
Associated Portland Cement—74 1/2	
Pinchin John & Co—44 1/2	
Coal, Steel & Engineering	
Balcoast & Widdowson—31 1/2	
Vickers—31 1/2	
Food and Tobacco	
British American Tobacco Co., Ltd—62 1/2	
Imperial Tobacco Co., Ltd—65 1/2	
Miscellaneous	
Heardman Marden Ltd—35 1/2	
British Oxygen Ltd—35 1/2	
Canadian Pacific—35 1/2	
Dunlop Rubber Co—35 1/2	
Hongkong & Shanghai—35 1/2	
Imperial Chemical—35 1/2	
Lyons & Co—35 1/2	
Unilever—35 1/2	
Paper	
Bowater Paper Corp Ord—64 1/2	
Associated Electrical—64 1/2	
Electric & Musical Industries—64 1/2	
English Electric—64 1/2	
General Electric—64 1/2	
Indo-China Steam Nav. Co. def ord—35 1/2	
P & O Steam Navigation def ord—35 1/2	
Stores	
Great Universal Stores "A"—60 1/2	
Woolworths P. W. & Co—60 1/2	
Textiles	
Coats & P. Ltd—35 1/2	
Courtauld Ltd—35 1/2	
Anglo-American Corp of South Africa—35 1/2	
Cons. Zinc Corp. Ord—60 1/2	
De Beers Diamonds—60 1/2	
Free State Development & Investment—60 1/2	
Hongkong & Shanghai—60 1/2	
Refrigeration—60 1/2	
Southern Traction Ltd—27 1/2	
Union Carbide—27 1/2	
West Driefontein Goldmining—18 1/2	
West Rand Corp—22 1/2	
British Borneo Petroleum Syndicate—22 1/2	
British Petroleum Co., Ltd—22 1/2	
Burmah—22 1/2	
Royal Dutch Petroleum—22 1/2	
Shell Transport & Trading—16 1/2	

Warning Of An Economic Split In West

Boston, Oct. 19. The United States must join two bickering economic development groups in Europe if it is to prevent an outright split and a victory for the Communist world, an economist warned today.

The Alfred C. Neal, President of the Committee for Economic Development, said a brewing split between Europe's common market and the "Outer Seven" threatens the West.

"We should realize that the split in Europe is dangerous from the standpoint of our economic competition with the Communist world," Mr. Neal said in a speech prepared for the 31st Annual Boston Conference on Distribution. "We must realize too that just as Europe needed our aid in the period of its own reconstruction, we now need Europe aid in the further task which lies before us of developing the underdeveloped world."—UPI.

British Stocks Commanding A New Respect

London, Oct. 19. The London Stock Exchange still acts as if a spell has been broken. As one probably has, the market has to shift to a new plane aligned to a changed climate.

Sweden's Exports Improve

Stockholm, Oct. 19. The official forecasts for the development of Sweden's foreign trade in 1959 — both the one submitted with the National Budget in January and the revised forecast later during the spring — have been completely upset, the Stockholm business weekly Affarsvarlden writes in its latest issue.

An analysis of the country's foreign trade over two-month periods shows that most of the improvement over last year was registered in January-February and in March-April and, although on a minor scale, also in July-August. Exports showed the largest increase, 10.6 per cent, over last year in March-April, fell back to the 1958 level in May-June and exceeded the 1958 figure by 10 per cent in July-August.

As regards imports, only January-February this year shows a more noticeable decline compared with 1958, whereas the following months have witnessed a gradual increase over the 1958 figures. Over the entire eight-month period exports are up 7.2 per cent in value over last year, while imports show a drop of 2.4 per cent.

The current trends in Sweden's foreign trade seem to indicate a continued growth in imports during the autumn months, Affarsvarlden says. At the same time it is unlikely that the accumulated lead attained by the January-August period with 1958 will be retained for the rest of this year. There is reason to believe, therefore, that the outcome of this year's foreign trade will not show the same strong improvement as was envisaged by the January-August statistics, but nonetheless the improvement will be substantial.

Rubber Market Review

Singapore, Oct. 19. With news of U. K.'s stockpile programme the market opened lower but ruled quiet at lower levels with the majority of dealers awaiting London reaction. Lower sheet apart from some nearby covering was neglected.

The market was idle for most of the afternoon but there was some enquiry towards the close for November No. 1 Rss which improved prices slightly.

Sellers remained reserved.

In New York, rex rubber futures today closed 10 to 30 points lower with sales of 20 contracts.

Prices moved lower in slow dealings.

The present programme calls for sales to be made by government sales agency for the current and next three months delivery.

No. 1 Rss spot was quoted at 43 cents.

In London, the rubber market was uncertain with spot quoted at 32 1/2 pence.

In Amsterdam, the rubber market was uncertain today.—UPI.

New York Cotton Market

New York, Oct. 19. Cotton futures today turned irregularly lower after a firm start, backpedalling under realising by local traders after a four-day rise in the nearby deliveries.

After opening gains up to 35 cents a bale, the market settled back by easy steps to finish with declines up to 80 cents a bale. The final range was one to 12 points lower. The market opened up two to seven points. New Orleans also closed off one to 12 points.

Reports of a slow-down in the demand for textile after weeks of activity, and a rise in prices to the best levels of the year, helped to encourage realising along with some increase in hedge offerings.

Memphis reports indicated that while there were numerous inquiries last week for forward shipment spot cotton, the principal buying was for prompt and November shipment. The light "spot" situation that has existed for the last several weeks has eased to some degree, the report added.

The Liverpool market today closed five to 20 English points higher but 644 to 731 American points under New York futures.—UPI.

New South African Bullion Firm

London, Oct. 19. A new South African company, Bullion Merchants of South Africa Limited, has been formed by Union Acceptances Limited in conjunction with Samuel Montagu & Company Limited and Mocatta & Goldsmid Limited, it was announced today.

The new firm will deal in gold in different bar forms and in the interchangeable gold certificates issued by Samuel Montagu, the Bank of Nova Scotia, Deutsche Bank, A. G. of West Germany and Union Acceptances Limited.

The firm has been appointed an authorised dealer in gold by the Reserve Bank of South Africa. Earlier this year, the South African Reserve Bank announced it would negotiate the sale of standard gold bars of about 400 ounces to non-residents of the sterling area.

The Transvaal and Orange Free State Chamber of Mines later announced arrangements for the sale of gold in kilo bars to non-sterling area buyers. Under these arrangements, gold may be freely exported or left for safe keeping in South Africa free of charge for an indefinite period.—China Mail Special.

Agreed Merchant Rates

Belgian Franc, Maximum Selling 867.

COMMODITY PRICES

METALS

LONDON

Closing prices, all in sterling per long ton:

	Buyers	Sellers
Tin spot	72 1/2	72 1/2
3-month	72 1/2	72 1/2
Copper spot	230	230 1/2
3-month	230 1/2	230 1/2
Lead 2nd half Oct.	70 1/2	70 1/2
Jan.	71 1/2	71 1/2
Zinc 2nd half Oct.	58 1/2	58 1/2
Jan.	59 1/2	59 1/2

RUBBER

NEW YORK

Raw rubber futures closing prices, all in cents per lb.:

Nov.	22 1/2
Dec.	22 1/2
Jan.	22 1/2
Feb.	22 1/2
Mar.	22 1/2
Apr.	22 1/2
May	22 1/2
Jun.	22 1/2
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Mother Gives Evidence In Trial Of Son On Murder Charge

A tearful mother this morning gave evidence at the Criminal Sessions this morning at the trial of her 30-year-old son, Ghan Chi-kam, who is charged with murdering an old woman.

The witness, Li Sap, who was called by the Prosecution, burst into tears as she identified her son in the dock.

The trial Judge Mr Justice R. H. Mills-Owens, told her that everyone appreciated the position she was in but all she had to do was to say what had happened on the day of the incident.

Chan was alleged to have thrown an old woman, Chan Kiu, over the verandah of a third floor flat in Wo On Lane, on May 8, 1956.

The woman was certified dead on arrival at Queen Mary Hospital.

Not Guilty

He pleaded not guilty to the charge.

Li Sap testified that she and her son occupied a room on the third floor of No. 6 Wo On Lane. About 5 a.m. on May 8, 1956, she was awakened by a noise from the ground.

"I felt him, he was cold," she said.

"I then heard him talking to himself, 'You're dying... No, don't die yet, you have a mother'."

Threw Bucket

"He then woke up."

Li Sap said the accused then threw a bucket of water at her which injured her head. She ran downstairs to summon the police and returned later with four policemen.

Then she saw deceased in the kitchen.

Accused, who was also in the kitchen, stood with his arms akimbo and shouted at the policemen, witness said.

The policemen then dispersed and left the flat, she said.

Mr Justice Mills-Owens asked: "What caused the policeman to disperse?"

Very Confused

Witness replied: "My son was then very confused, and the policeman did not know whether or not my son had anything such as a knife in his hand."

When the policeman left, Li Sap said she hid herself underneath her bed. From there, she saw the accused dragging the old woman from the kitchen towards the verandah, witness said.

While being dragged along the corridor, Chan Kiu was heard to say, "I have not done anything wrong to you."

The accused made no reply, witness said.

Earlier, Acting Senior Counsel, Mr M. Morley-John, told the jury the accused understood Chan Kiu from the verandah and went downstairs. There he was overpowered and arrested by the Police.

'Mental Sickness'

When the accused was charged with murder in August, this year, he said he was suffering from a mental sickness at the time of the incident and did not know what he was doing, Mr Morley-John said.

The accused is represented by Mr H. L. Hu, instructed by Mr A. d'Arville, Mr Morley-John and Mr D. G. Willis, Crown Counsel, are prosecuting. Hearing is continuing.

Quarrel Over Money Ends In Wounding

A 45-year-old coolie, who wounded a friend with a chopper during a quarrel over money was sentenced to eight months by Mr T. L. Yang at Central Magistracy this morning.

Sub-Inspector T. Y. Yip, prosecuting, said defendant, Lam Kit, of 401, Block A, Shek Kip Mei Reclamation Estate, picked up a chopper and wounded Siu Wah-chiu, on Sunday at Central Market when he accused Lam of having squandered \$100 he had given him.

Defendant pleaded guilty.

'Air Fare Reduction Should Be Possible In Next Few Years'

World airlines should be able to reduce fares within the next few years when expansion of their jet plane fleets results in increased traffic, Mr Louis Lesieux, General Manager of Air France, predicted today.

He came to Hongkong for a three-day visit after attending the 15th annual meeting of the International Air Transport Association in Tokyo.

Mr Lesieux declined to comment on the deliberations of IATA, but he did express some personal opinions about the future and cost of air travel.

CONVINCED

"I am convinced all airlines are willing to reduce fares when they can reach agreement on a sound business basis," he said.

Then he added that a reduction of fares will be practical when airlines acquire more jet

airliners, capable of increasing traffic.

"I think such a reduction will come within a few years," he said.

By way of illustration, Mr Lesieux explained that at present his own airline operates six French-made medium-range Caravelle jets and expects to accept delivery of its first U.S.-built Boeing 707-320 long-range jet this week.

"But we have ordered 17 Boeing and 24 Caravelles, and they will all be delivered by October 1960," he said. "As a result, our traffic will be increased by more than 30 percent—to 3,500,000 passengers a year—by next spring."

GOOD THING

Mr Lesieux also said that reduced fares and increased jet travel will benefit the cause of world understanding.

"I think it will be a good thing for international relations for people to be able to travel more and get from place to place faster," he declared.

HK Dumping In Switzerland Denied

Switzerland has joined the ranks of those who charge the Far East with dumping textiles, but in Hongkong this morning, a local businessman described their charges as "groundless," as far as the Colony is concerned.

Yesterday it was announced that the Swiss Government introduced import controls on textiles to combat this alleged dumping by Far Eastern countries.

Commenting on this move by the Swiss authorities, the businessman, who wished to remain unnamed, said, "These allegations arise from time to time, but they are groundless."

"If the Swiss authorities care to look into this more carefully they will find out for themselves that the claim is groundless."

STATISTICS

Trade statistics show that last year Hongkong exported only HK\$1,885,000 worth of textiles goods. On the other hand the Colony imported HK\$5,600,000 worth of similar Swiss goods.

A number of Swiss businessmen said they were very surprised to hear of this move by their own Government.

Neither the Swiss Consul-General in Hongkong nor the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce would make any statement on the matter.

An announcement from Bern said:

CERTIFIED

"Certain categories of textiles from certain countries" would be permitted into Switzerland in the future, only if the price of the goods was certified. I.e. if the Swiss authorities have a guarantee that the goods will be sold at prices not regarded as dumping.

Though no countries were named in the Bern communiqué, official sources said they believed it was aimed mainly at China, Hongkong and Japan.

Another Big Building Plan For Nathan Rd

\$1,500,000 SCHEME REVEALED

A plan to build a seven-storey block costing \$1,500,000 on the site of seven one-storey houses at 643 to 661, Nathan Road, was revealed at the Tenancy Tribunal this morning.

Henry C. Leong Estates, Ltd., are applying for exemption for the existing buildings, which they intend to demolish.

Restaurant

The new building will have nine shops on the ground floor, a restaurant on the three next floors and offices on the floors above.

The members of the tribunal, who are Mr J. E. Dorgan (President), Mrs Ruby Ching and Mr M. I. de Ville, later this morning inspected the existing premises, after which hearing of the case will be continued.

Applicants are represented by Mr W. C. Carr, of Johnson, Stokes and Master.

Brownies Help

By doing small jobs and services for people, 16 Brownies of the 11th Kowloon Pack have raised \$200 to buy medical supplies for Mrs Elsie Elliott's Mu Kwang Medical Clinic in Kowloon, City.

These Brownies, Mrs Theodora, a member of the Guild of St Helena which sponsors the Clinic, has asked if the girls can go to the Mu Kwang School or Clinic to make a personal presentation to Mrs Elliott. The date and time will be announced later.

PICTORIAL PARADE



ABOVE: Sir Hudson Fysh, Chairman of Qantas, and Lady Fysh arrived recently for a short visit. Seen at the Airport are (l-r) Mr D. I. Bosanquet, Lady Fysh, Sir Hudson, Mr and Mrs G. Howling and Mr C. J. B. Thery.



ABOVE: Captain and Mrs Geoffrey Richard Tucker Hargreaves pose for a photograph after their wedding at St Barbara's Church, Stanley Fort, on Saturday. The bride is the former Miss Charlotte L. Stoneman, of Winnipeg.



ABOVE: Mr Kwok Wing, one of six Cable and Wireless employees retiring after various lengths of service with the company, receives a souvenir from Mrs W. Roe, wife of the assistant manager during a farewell party held at the C & W Sports Club recently.



LEFT: The HK Command Pay Office plaque seen over the bed which the unit has "adopted" at the Sandy Bay Children's Convalescent Home. Mr M. W. Turner (left) and Col E. C. Brewer (Command Paymaster) are seen here with Little Tang Oi-hing.



RIGHT: Capt. R. B. Carroll, Royal Signals, leaves the 18th green after winning the Hongkong Amateur Golf Championship recently with a total of 224 for the 54 holes.

A Second Scholarship Won By HK Student

A former Hongkong student, now in his third year at Stanford University, has won a second scholarship worth HK\$3,600.

He is Charles Bartlett, formerly from King George V School.

In September last year he was awarded an honorary scholarship worth HK\$1,000. His latest success came when he was awarded another honorary scholarship sponsored by the Celmerton Education Foundation.

The award is made annually to students of exceptionally high academic standing. Charles is studying law at the Californian University, and the results of his third year will have a great bearing on his qualifications for entry into a graduate law school.

Charles' father is Mr T. J. Bartlett, Welfare and Labour Officer of the Taikeo Dockyard and Engineering Company Ltd.

Mr P. P. Ohri, Manager of Messrs G. C. Nanda and Sons, tourists and travel agents in Singapore, arrived in the morning to Japan on a business-pleasure trip.

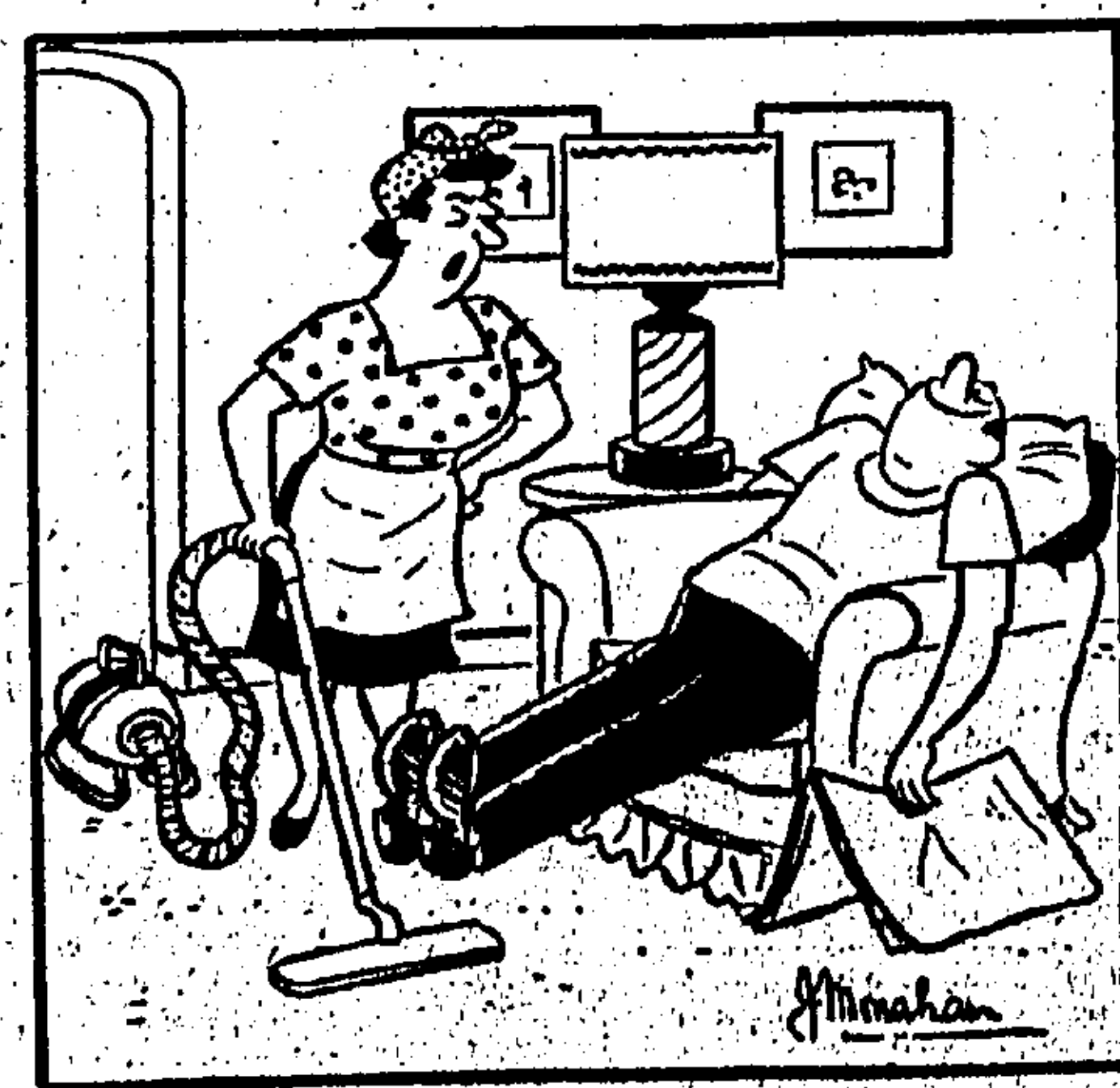
During his visit in Japan, Mr Ohri will look into the possibilities of opening a branch office there.

Mr Ohri, who is vice chairman of the Singapore Tourist Advisory Committee, will also discuss tourist promotion in Singapore.



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